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AND TRANSCRIPT

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TOWN BUSINESS.

Selectmen's Business and Other Departments of Work and Expenditures.

The Selectmen have received notice from the State Forester approving the name of Walter W. Pratt as Tree Warden.

Voted at the Monday meeting to allow the James Humphrey school the use of piano saved at the burning of the Town hall and since in storage, until other arrangements may be made.

The National Graduation School of Agriculture, which holds a National Convention every second year, will hold this year's convention at Amherst and during the convention will visit some of the leading towns in the state and have notified the selectmen that Weymouth is on their list and the Weymouth visit will be between July 29th and August 5th.

According to recent legislation a person who has a residence in town and leaves it, but becomes an object of town aid, loses that residence in five years if out of town. It is now up to the selectmen to prepare such a list and it is found that there are 40 out of town people who are receiving aid and have passed the five year limit, or will have done so on the 1st of July next. On the face of it, it looks as though there might be a reduction in the poor account, but suppose there are thousands who become subjects for state aid, by the act what effect will it have on our state tax.

The Selectmen have decided to admit to the Town Meeting next Monday by check on account of the limited capacity of the building and have appointed the following checkers: Precinct 1, Wm. M. Tyler; precinct 2, Bartholomew J. Connell; precinct 3, Fred A. Sully; precinct 4, Bertie T. Hobart; precinct 5, D. Frank Daly; precinct 6, Clayton B. Merchant.

In the report last week in this column of the communication received by the Selectmen in regard to the plot of land adjoining the Old South church in South Weymouth, the name should have been "Bayley" and not "Bailey", as the name of the parcel of land.

Police Notes.

Officer Ford had two men in court Monday. One was sent to the State Farm at Bridgewater and the other one released.

Officer Fitzgerald took a prisoner to headquarters Tuesday, and Wednesday had the man in court at Quincy.

A circular describing Crones the Chicago chef who attempted to poison 200 guests at the Chicago University club banquet, about 6 weeks ago, was received at headquarters Monday from the chief of detectives of that city.

Circulars from Montreal and Bayonne N. Y. were received at headquarters describing men wanted in those places.

SPORTING NOTES.

Most time for the southern trips of the big league ball tossers.

Reports state that Thayer Academy of Braintree will have a fast team this season. The T. A. lads have a fine field, a good coach, and should have a very successful season.

Dan Howley is in Montreal, Can., where he will stay until time to start south with his squad. Dan was in New York for the annual meetings of the several leagues and picked up several likely ball tossers for his team. Before leaving Boston he secured a couple of players from the Red Sox extras.

Basket ball is on the wane for this season in this section. The Weymouth High boys have had a very successful season.

A delegation of 24 women from the North Abington gymnasium were entertained in the Clapp Memorial Association building last Thursday night by the women of the Candle Pin league connected with the home association. At candle pins a team from North Abington, made up of Mrs. Bemis, Mrs. Belle, Mrs. Good, Mrs. Burnham and Mrs. Arnold, broke even at two points each with a team from the Clapp association comprising Mrs. Amy Severance, Mrs. Lucia Farrar, Mrs. Lottie McGrath, Miss Alice Howley and Miss Nellie Looney. The visitors got two strings, while the home team got one string and the total 1129 to 1127 pins.

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In the candlepin tournament on the Clapp Memorial building alleys, Wednesday night, for the championship of East Weymouth, team 6, Francis W. Preston captain, won from team 5, Anthony Cassece, captain, securing two out of three strings. The totals were 1298 and 1253. Francis W. Preston had the top single of 117 and a three string total of 312. Team 6 made three points and team 5 one point.

HUMPHREY SCHOOL BUILDING.

Rapid Recovery from the Fire and School Resumes

Limited time prevented us from saying much about the blaze at the James Humphrey school house last Thursday afternoon, in fact we would sooner say nothing than to be so far astray as was much of that which was published.

Weymouth is however to be congratulated that there was not a holocaust of hundreds of children and the whole town now in mourning.

As we said last week, immediately on the discovery of smoke the expert fire drill took 350 pupils out of the rooms in 40 seconds.

A lad was sent to ring in Box 21 at the foot of Whitman road and at the first stroke, Combination 2 was on the way to said box but did not, as was reported, make an effort to climb the heights of that road but took the more feasible route, via Middle, Charles and Humphrey streets, making good time notwithstanding the immense snow drifts on the latter road and when the all out was sounded, Combination 2 was not indebted to the town and the promoters of the purchase of such a piece of apparatus had been vindicated.

Fortunately the fire was confined to that part of the building in which it originated or rather to that side of the building—now right here, for fear "we may forget it," we put in a suggestion for future committees building school houses, have the heating apparatus as much as possible isolated from the building and not in the immediate proximity to the main entrance and, next and more important, do not have a wooden air shaft running from basement to roof.

Work of repair was commenced at once the building dried out, and on Wednesday schools were opened in six of the eight rooms and the unoccupied room in the Franklin building opened for the eighth grade.

John E. Inkley's Birthday.

Although as days go by more than 70 years have rolled over the head of John E. Inkley, 678 Pleasant street, his 17th birthday only reached him last Tuesday as he was born on February 29, 1844.

For nearly a half century, Mr. Inkley has been a citizen of Weymouth and his sterling character has won for him the respect and confidence of all who know him and many of his friends including the Knights of Pythias joined in a celebration of his birthday last Tuesday night at Pythian hall.

The celebration consisted of reception, congratulations, musical program, presentation of tokens of regard and refreshments.

Presentations were a K. of P. jewel by Herbert Rockwood in behalf of Delphi Lodge No. 15, K. of P.; gold coin of the Realm by Frank W. Rea in behalf of Lovell's Corner Improvement Society and other tokens from individual friends.

The musical program was piano selections by Edward Drown; vocal and cornet solos by Gertrude Rudkin; violin solo, Catherine Pratt; select readings by Herbert Rockwood and piano solo by Miss Grace Rudkin.

KING'S DAUGHTERS MEET.

Special Session Held In East Weymouth Congregational Church Last Thursday Night.

The King's Daughters Union, made up of the seven King's Daughters circles in the town, held a special meeting in the chapel of the East Weymouth Congregational church last Thursday night. It was voted to provide religious services at the Weymouth Town Home during the Sundays of March, April and May. A rummage sale will be held in April for the benefit of the Pond Home for Old Ladies of Pondville. It was also voted that each member of the union shall pay one dollar the coming year for the maintenance of the home.

Monday Club.

Next meeting of the Monday club will be held at Odd Fellows opera house on March 6, Miss Irene Dooley will give a dramatic interpretation of "The Fortune Hunter." This will be an open meeting.

Old Colony Club.

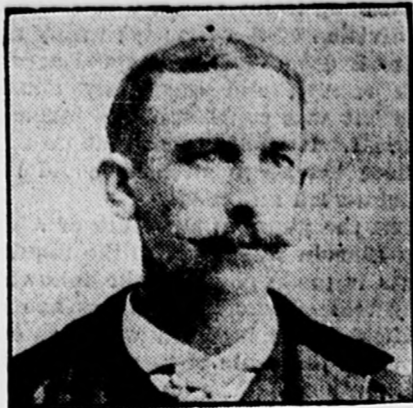
In the auditorium of the Second Universalist church in South Weymouth last Thursday afternoon, the Old Colony Woman's club met with Mrs. William A. Wagner presiding.

An address on "Home Economics, Its Aims, Scope and Possibilities," was delivered by Mrs. S. F. Herron.

Spanish National Emblem. Spain's national emblem is the pomegranate.

1891 Celebrate Anniversary 1916

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Gibson Entertain at 25th Anniversary of Marriage.



MR. AND MRS. CHARLES D. GIBSON, Who Celebrated the 25th Anniversary of Their Wedding.

On Friday last Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Gibson of 63 High street, East Weymouth, celebrated the anniversary of their marriage twenty-five years ago by the Rev. Merrill D. Blanchard, then pastor of the First Congregational Church. "Open house" and a reception was held at their home where Mr. and Mrs. Gibson have lived all but three months of their married life.

The house was tastefully decorated in silver and white and during the reception they stood beneath a large wedding bell of silver and white, arched with festoons. Assisting at the reception were Miss Mildred E. Gibson and Charles L. Gibson, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson. The ushers were Miss Pauline Hoyer of Holbrook, a niece of Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. David Rill of Brockton, a sister of Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Burgess H. Spinney and Mrs. Harry B. Torrey of East Weymouth.

A wedding lunch was served and during the evening music was furnished by Miss Elsie Hayden of Mattapan, pianist; Miss Jeanette Shaw of South Weymouth, violinist; Miss Lois Snowden of Medford, soprano and Mr. David Rill of Brockton, tenor, soloists.

HOLD MASS MEETING.

Catholics Gather In Odd Fellows Hall, East Weymouth.

An audience of about 400 persons attended the Catholic federation mass meeting Sunday in Odd Fellows hall, East Weymouth, under the auspices of the Norfolk County branch.

Rev. F. A. Brogan of Cohasset, chaplain of the Cohasset, Weymouth, Holbrook and Braintree district of the federation, presided. On the platform were Rev. James J. Silney, East Weymouth; Grand Knight William H. Doyle of Weymouth division, K. of C.; Pres. Cornelius J. Lynch of the Holy Name Society of the Immaculate Conception parish; Edward Mulvey, grand knight of Cohasset council, K. of C. and Pres. Morris Grassie of the Holy Name society of St. Anthony's parish, Cohasset.

Dennis J. Slattery of Weymouth, state treasurer of the A.O.H. of Massachusetts, and others spoke.

Third Universalist Church Annual Fair.

The annual fair of the Ladies' Sewing circle connected with the Third Universalist church was held on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings, March 1st and 2nd. The entertainment on Wednesday evening consisted of a drama entitled "The Dutch Detective" given by the Weyquin Dramatic club. The entertainment on Thursday evening consisted of a short farce entitled "Gone Aboard" presented by the Weyquin Dramatic club, readings by Miss Helen Corridan, vocal solos by Miss Flora McDonald and a sketch entitled "A Difference in Clocks" by Howard H. Joy and Mrs. Elbert Ford. An orchestra composed of the following people furnished music on both evenings: Percival Ames, violin; Henry H. Gooding, cornet; Frank Rand, clarinet; John H. Leighton, flute; Victor DuBois, viola and Miss Bertha F. Estes, piano. Lunch was served both evenings between 5 and 6:30 P. M. The tables were in charge of the following ladies: fancy, Mrs. George Nash; cake, Mrs. Abbie Jordan; candy, Miss S. Lizzie Fisher; mystery, Mrs. S. O. Estes; children's Mrs. George Ames. The lunch was in charge of Mrs. Joshua Holbrook and Mrs. Richard Hesse. The whole affair was under the supervision of Mrs. Samuel Drew, president of the circle.

Optimistic Thought. Happy the man whose calling is great and spirit humble.

ANNUAL RECEPTION.

Mrs. Louise Merritt Polley's Dancing Class Entertains In Odd Fellow's Hall East Weymouth Last Friday Night.

Although the weather was anything, but the "reception" kind the annual dancing class reception of the juvenile and advanced classes of Mrs. Louise Merritt Polley, held last Friday night in Odd Fellow's Opera house East Weymouth was a decided success.

The affair opened at 7 o'clock, when the annual grand march was held. This is always a most pleasing feature and this year was no exception. Miss Katherine Eldridge with Master Henry Hersey led the march this year, followed by about 50 couples of young folks.

After the march and circle the class enjoyed the "National Two Step", followed by the modern "Fox Trot" by the advanced members of the class. Number 4, was the Spanish dance "España", presented in their usual fine manner by Miss Marion Nash and Miss Dorothy Smith. This number was followed by the "Play Day Polka" by the class and then Miss Helen Linnehan, the popular Weymouth Landing solo dancer, drew a big hand with her presentation "The Firefly".

The "Military Trot" next took up the attention of the class, followed by "The Dance of the Nymphs" by the ever pleasing May Allen, assisted by the Misses Eldridge, Manuel, Vining, Sterling, Mills, Holbrook, Hilton, Cross, Gross, Pray, Nash, McIsaac.

Number 9 was a dual number, "A" being the "Cross Step Schottische" and "B" "The Crimson" both by the class. On account of illness Morrill Allen was unable to take part in the "Pavlova Gavotte", with his sister, so Miss May with Miss Linnehan gave the dance.

The advanced class next stepped the "One Step" and the Misses Linnehan and White beautifully danced the "Wedding Fox Trot". The next to the last number was "Coming thro the Rye" and "Dainty Step" by the class and the children's presentation came to an end with the "Waltz German".

Intermission was declared and refreshments were served.

To complete the evening's enjoyable program dancing by the entire party present was enjoyed until 12 o'clock with an orchestra furnishing music.

For the children's program Miss May Allen and Mrs. Victor Hall presided at the piano.

The matrons were Mrs. Alden and Mrs. Wolfe. Harold Breach was head usher, assisted by a corp of young ladies.

Ballot for Town Officers.

Following is the complete list of nominees for the various officers to be balloted for at the coming election on Monday, the 13th:

Town clerk, John A. Raymond.

Town treasurer, John H. Stetson.

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor, Ralph P. Burrell, Henry E. Hanley, Bradford Hawes, Edward W. Hunt, Joseph Kelley, George L. Newton, H. Franklin Perry, Burton B. Wright.

Collector of taxes, Winslow M. Tirrell. Assessor, (for three years), John F. Dwyer, Frank H. Torrey.

Park Commissioner, (for three years), Nathan Q. Cushing.

Water Commissioner, (for three years), George W. Perry.

School Committee (for three years), Harriet B. Batchelder, Elmer E. Leonard, Frederick D. Nichols.

Auditors, Frank N. Blanchard, William H. Pratt, Winfield S. Wells.

Trustees Tufts Library, (for three years), James H. Flint, Frederick T. Hunt, Clarence P. Whittle.

Board of Health (for three years), George E. Emerson.

Tree Warden, Charles L. Merritt.

Commissioner of Ward Two School-house Sinking Fund Bonds (three years), Willard J. Dunbar.

Constables, Charles W. Baker, Charles W. Barrows, George B. Bayley, Edward P. Butler, George W. Conant, Thomas Fitzgall, Elbert Ford, Willard F. Hall, George W. Nash, Arthur H. Pratt.

Shall License be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

Notice.

Now is the time to think about your fruit trees, grape vines, etc. Are they in the best condition to bring good results? If a tree or vine is worth having, it is worth keeping in good condition. Good judgement and knowledge of pruning is essential. Let me look over your trees and give estimates. Prices reasonable and all work guaranteed to be first class. Contracts for planting and care of gardens, lawns and shrubs solicited.—E. C. Metcalf, Orchardist and Landscape Gardener. 389 Front street, Weymouth, Tel. 744-M—Adv. 46-6.

TWO DAY'S FAIR.

Union Church Social Circle of South Weymouth Holds Successful Annual Sale and Entertainment.

The Ladies' Social Circle of the Union church opened a two days' fair at Fogg's opera house Wednesday evening. Mrs. Elbridge Nash was the general chairman and the chairmen of the various tables were as follows:—fancy, Mrs. Harrison Cole; cake, Mrs. John Robinson; ice cream, Mrs. Charles Sturtevant; candy, Mrs. Raymond Proctor; pop corn, Miss Carrie Gardner; domestic, Miss Elva Brown; groceries, Rev. Ora Price; preserves, Mrs. Samuel Vinal; and children's, Mrs. Charles Mowry.

A novel feature that was introduced was the "Parcel Post." For various sums of money different articles from the parcel post were handed purchasers threw a regular post office window, a decided innovation in the "grab-box" idea.

The young people of the parish appeared Wednesday evening in a drama of three acts, "Romantic Mary" under the direction of Miss Annie Deane. The cast consisted of Henry Hastings, Ernest Mowry; Dr. Milman, Harold Klingeman; Oliver Orde, Ralph Klingeman; Andrew, Donald Cole; Mrs. Winn, Lora Sweet; Eleanor Winn, Lillian Baker; Mary Eager, Lucia Nash; and Jennie, Marion Reed.

The play was a decided success, the acting of Misses Nash and Baker being exceptionally clever. The whole production reflected great credit on Miss Deane.

Thursday evening a vaudeville program was given under the direction of Mrs. William Wagner. The program was as follows:

Solo dance, "Firefly," Miss Helen Linnehan.
Peace tableau.
Swing song, Misses Proctor, Howard and Hadley.
Wedding Glide, Misses Linnehan and White.
Mrs. Henry A. Benner sang several solos, Miss Winifred Conant accompanying.

REYNOLD HIGGINS PASSES AWAY

Popular 18 Year Old Weymouth Center Youth Laid at Rest This Morning.

James Reynolds Higgins, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Higgins, 567 Broad street, East Weymouth, died at the home of his parents, late Tuesday night. Young Higgins has been in ill health for some time and has lately returned from Lakeville Sanatorium where he went for treatment. Funeral services were held at the Immaculate Conception church this morning. High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Cornelius J. Riordan.

Merchant's Week.

A number of Weymouth Landing and East Braintree merchants gathered in Lincoln hall last night and definite plans for Merchant's week, April 17 to 22, were started. A committee was chosen and several projects discussed. A complete report of the doings of the committee and of other Merchants' week matter will appear in our next issue.

Mrs. "Hattie" (Lawrence) Powers, Dead.

The many friends and relatives in this place, of Mrs. Harriett (Lawrence) Powers, wife of Edward Powers of Taunton were shocked to learn on Monday of her sudden death. Mr. Powers is a native of East Weymouth and Mrs. Powers, though not a native was for a long time a resident and their departure to Taunton, where Mr. Powers' business called him a number of years ago took from the community, especially the Congregational church, two valuable workers. Funeral services were held at the home in Taunton on Wednesday and the interment was at that place.

Clapp Memorial Men's Club Holds Monthly Meeting.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Clapp Memorial Men's club held on Wednesday evening, a large number of members and guests were present.

An informal reception was held from 6:30 to 7 o'clock, at which time the company were invited to the banquet hall where one of Caterer Farrars best suppers awaited them.

After doing justice to the efforts of the chef, President Earle introduced George W. R. Harriman as the speaker of the evening.

"Terminal Facilities" was the subject discussed by the speaker, and the railroad situation of the entire country was touched on by the speaker. Mr. Harriman was thoroughly familiar with his subject, not confining himself to terminals entirely, but to railroad facilities in general. At the close the speaker was given a rising vote of thanks.

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ON THE FARM
Subscribe for this paper. This column alone is worth more than \$2.00 a year if you have a garden or keep a horse, cow, pigs or hens.
The Corn Show which is to be held March 13-17 in connection with Farmers' Week at the Massachusetts Agricultural College offers every corn grower an excellent opportunity to have his seed corn subjected to the germination test. Class A consists of 40-ear exhibits upon which this test will be made and the results, showing the percentage of germination and also the vitality and vigor of the young shoots, will be shown, each ear being numbered to correspond with the square of earth in which the young plants sprouted from it are shown. All exhibits for this class must be in Amherst by March 4. There will also be a unique popping test for pop corn with the results on exhibit during the week. For this 12-ear exhibits should be sent to arrive not later than March 4. Class B will be 10-ear exhibits of flint, dent and sweet corn which should arrive by March 11. Ribbons will be awarded. For further details and entry blanks write Earl Jones, M. A. C., Amherst, Mass.

The farms of the United States will produce the coming season more gold than will be dug out of Alaska in five years.

There will be no loss of any account in burning the dead grass on meadows; the ashes left are of more immediate use than the dry grass would be.

The cities depend upon the farms. The country could get along, after a fashion, without the cities, but the cities would be ruined if the rural districts were ruined.

Although the people of the cities do not realize it, our basic industry is still agriculture and so it will remain as long as people must be clothed and fed.

Light Brahmas are big boned and carry good flesh, and are most satisfactory for the production of large roasting chickens, being used extensively, both pure bred and as a cross, to produce the famous "soft roaster" of the Boston market.

The parsnip usually puts its roots down more deeply than any other of the esculent roots. It needs a rich soil. If the subsoil has not been enriched it should be pulverized with a subsoil plow and not brought to the surface.

It is not so generally appreciated as it should be that the breeding sow while she is bearing her young needs just the kind of nutrition that the growing pig will require. Sows fed heavily on corn fatten, and bring thin, stunted pigs, with very little ability to care for themselves.

The Parandra borer is one of several species of borers from which trees are in very little danger of injury, so long as they are kept in sound and vigorous condition. These borers enter the wood from dead or decaying places on the surface, and are probably never found in trees whose trunks and larger branches are entirely covered with healthy bark.

After January 1 it is not economical to purchase fowls, as breeders will have their pens mated for the season and will not take out good birds unless they can secure a high price for them. In the spring the start is best made with eggs or baby chicks. If eggs are the choice purchase one or more sittings and as many broody hens; the latter can be secured of farmers or poultry keepers, who are usually glad to get rid of them at a small advance over the price of market poultry.

No incubator, no matter how scientifically constructed, can run itself with no assistance from the operator. It can not supply moisture just when needed, and if the flame and thermostat are not properly regulated, they can not supply the proper heat, nor can they keep heat at an even degree if great temperature changes are forced upon the machine. If possible, operate incubators in well-ventilated cellars, but if no cellar is available, select a room wherein temperature changes may be kept at a minimum.

The successful rearing of young turkeys is not by any means so difficult as many people seem to suppose. The impression that some amateurs have that turkeys are next to an impossibility to raise should be quickly dismissed from their minds, as it only requires a personal knowledge of

The Colder Hemisphere.
Dr. George C. Simpson of the Indian meteorological service at Simla, in India, who has asserted that the southern hemisphere is much colder than the northern, gives in the Scientific American the reasons on which he bases his opinion. The air is warmed not by the rays of the sun, which simply pass through it, but by the earth, which absorbs the rays. Now, in the northern hemisphere there is much land to absorb the energy of the sun and to give heat to the air. In the southern hemisphere there is much less land, and all the land within the antarctic circle is permanently covered with ice, which forms a virtually perfect reflector and which sends back into space most of the solar energy that falls upon it. Five million square miles of the earth's surface in the southern hemisphere reflect into space a large part of the energy received from the sun—a fact that in itself is enough to account for a considerable difference in temperature.

A Painter's Broken Arm.
A friend once entered the studio of George Inness, the American landscape painter, while he was at work and remarked that the picture on the easel seemed to him much better than certain former works of the artist. "Right!" said Inness. "This is going to be one of my best things, and the reason is that I have had the good luck to break my right arm and am obliged to paint with my left hand. You see," he added, showing his right hand in a sling, "this hand had become so darned clever that I could not catch up with it, and it painted away without me, while this hand"—showing the left, with which he held his brush—"is awkward and can do nothing without me."

In the Same Boat.
Sam had come home from school, hungry, as usual. Tossing his spelling book on the kitchen table, he hastened to the pantry and began an investigation of cake box, cupboards and cookie jar.

Suddenly the back doorbell rang. Leaving his unprofitable search, Samuel went to answer. On the steps stood an unshaven, long haired man whose clothes needed a tailor and a laundry worker.

"I'm hungry," began the stranger in a low, aggrieved tone. "And should like something to eat."

"Well, so'm I," confided the boy. "But you know I've been a-huntin' for ten minutes an' hain't found a thing!"—Judge.

Too Late.
After the guests had waited for half an hour in a Berkshire church for the bride to arrive messengers were dispatched to the livery stable to try to discover what had happened. The liveryman, made to understand that he had omitted to send a carriage to her house, acknowledged that all the blame rested on him and apologized in many a fashion, but when they suggested that he should proceed to remedy the delay he failed to see the point. "What'll be the use o' fetchin' 'er now?" he argued. "The service 'll be art over!"—London Globe.

Those Who Ride.
In all situations of life into which I have looked I have found mankind divided into two grand parties, those who ride and those who are ridden. The great struggle in life seems to be which shall keep in the saddle. This, it appears to me, is the fundamental principle of politics, whether in great or little life.—From "The Young Man of Great Expectations," by Washington Irving.

Appearances.
It is the appearances that fill the scene, and we pause not to ask of what realities they are the proxies. When the actor of Athens moved all hearts as he clasped the burial urn and burst into broken sobs how few then knew that it held the ashes of his son!—Bulwer-Lytton.

Caught.
"Herbert, you weren't listening to what I said."
"Er—what makes you think that, darling?"
"I asked you if you could let me have \$100, and you smiled and said, 'Yes, dearest.'"
—Life.

One Thing Left.
Wife—Have you shut up everything for the night? Husband (meekly)—I'm sorry to say, dear, that I haven't.—New York Sun.

Oh, life! An age to the miserable, a moment to the happy.—Bacon.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Always Justice Triumphs.
Man is unjust but God is just, and finally justice triumphs.—Selected.

the turkey's peculiarities to be successful in raising at least 80 per cent of all the poult hatched.

A Story of Abraham Lincoln's Physical Strength
By ELINOR MARSH

If Abraham Lincoln had lived till his birthday falling due in February, 1916, he would have been 107 years old. Had he not fallen in his prime at the hand of an assassin or been taken off in some other unnatural way he would doubtless have lived to a great age, for he was physically a very strong man.

We may well wonder how Abraham Lincoln endured the strain of four years of civil war, millions of people looking at him to bring about a restoration of the Union, foreign nations threatening to intervene, thus insuring the division of the country; vainly trying to find generals who could accomplish results, and constantly abused for what was considered his mismanagement. It would seem that no man without herculean strength could live through such an ordeal.

That the physical structure of Abraham Lincoln was equal to the requirements is made plain by the following story told of him many years ago by a friend of his boyhood who was employed in the same store with Lincoln.

"Billy," said Abe one day, "what makes you bet with Enoch? You ought to know better than to bet with a man on his own tricks. If he didn't know he had a sure thing he wouldn't bet."

The advice was given because this Enoch would come into the store in the evening ostensibly for the purpose of loading, but really to win small bets by a number of tricks. One of these was doubling up his hand so as to hide one of his fingers. He would bet that Billy couldn't mark that particular finger. Of course Enoch always won such bets. When Abe advised Billy to stop betting the latter told him that he had lost nearly a dollar to Enoch and he didn't wish to stop till the money was won back.

"Will you promise me," said Abe, "that you'll never bet any more if I put you in a way to win back what you have lost and a great deal more?"

"You bet!" replied Billy.

"How would you like a plug hat to wear with your Sunday clothes? It would set you up with the girls."

"I'd like a plug hat first rate, but how am I going to get one, seeing that it would cost me \$7? It would take pretty nigh a week's salary."

"I reckon I can help you to one. At any rate, we can try the next time Enoch comes around and wants to bet you on his tricks. Tell him that you've got tired betting picaune amounts, but if he really wants to bet something worth while you'll go him; then, if he agrees, you offer to bet him that Abe Lincoln can take a forty gallon barrel of whisky off the floor and drink out of the bung hole."

"Can you do that, Abe?"

"Reckon I can. After the store closes tonight I'll try it."

As soon as the proprietor had gone home for the day the two clerks shut up the store, and there was a rehearsal, at which Abe convinced Billy that he would risk nothing provided he could get Enoch to take the bet.

The next day Enoch came into the store and had not been there long before he called to Billy an offer to bet him on some new trick that had not yet been demonstrated. Billy was weighing out some sugar at the time and said he hadn't time to do any fooling. But Enoch hung around till Billy had finished what he was doing, when he renewed his offer. Billy consented to talk with him and during the interview said:

"Do you know, Enoch, how strong Abe Lincoln is?"

"No, I don't, but I reckon he's pretty strong."

"I shouldn't be surprised if Abe could lift up one of those barrels of whisky over there in the corner and take a drink out of the bung hole."

"Bet you a quarter he can't."

"Now, look where, Enoch. I don't want any more of these small bets. If you want to bet something to make it worth while I'll go you, but if you don't, why, let's have no more talk about it."

"What you want to bet, Billy?"

"On Abe's being able to take a forty gallon barrel off the floor and drink out of the bung hole."

"I'll bet you he can't do it."

"Enoch, I'm wanting a plug hat, and maybe you're wanting one. Did you ever wear one?"

"I had one once. It set me off fine."

"Well, here's your chance to get another. I'll bet you a plug hat that Abe can take that barrel—the big one—up off the floor and take a dram out o' the bung hole."

There was a good deal of dickerin', and Enoch tried to lift the barrel himself, not succeeding in stirring it. Finally he agreed to Billy's proposition, and the bet was duly made in the presence of witnesses.

Abe being called upon to decide the bet, advanced to the barrel and, stooping, tilted it on its right knee. Then he bent backward, and Billy pulled out the bung. Abe craned his neck forward and took a drink out of the bung hole, spit it out on the floor and set the barrel down again.

That was the last time Enoch came into the store with his betting offers. He paid the forfeit, and Billy kept his promise to Abe to bet no more.

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Travel Sketch.

Some time ago we published an article on the travel trip of Bradford Hawes to the Pacific and elsewhere. Many people were interested in it and asked for more and in response to many requests we resume the story.

My Dear Brother,

When I left home the latter part of last July for a trip to the Pacific coast I expected I should write three or four letters to you during my absence. As the time was so filled, I did not live up to my expectation and did not get a letter started to you until I arrived in Minneapolis on my homeward way. The story of the journey, as recorded in that letter took us no farther than the Colorado Canyon.

There were two places in particular that I had always hoped to see before I passed the Great Divide. One was the Yellowstone Park and the other, the Grand Canyon. With the itinerary I had arranged for my trip it did not seem practicable to take in the former and so I settled upon the Canyon. This is reached by a branch track of the Santa Fe road from Williams.

Our long train with two heavy engines was to divide at Gallup; the first section of the train to take the road to the Canyon and the second, to continue on the main line. Being in a car behind where the break was to be made, those of us who were booked for the Canyon were directed to take the second car forward at Gallup. It was ten o'clock in the evening when we arrived at this station, which is about five hours' ride east of Williams where the tracks diverge. I was soon in my berth and asleep.

We had been travelling forty-eight hours without any abrupt changes in either direction or in grade. I was awakened about two o'clock by violent lurching of the car. My first impression was that we were on a steep down-grade and that the engine was running wild. We would make a sharp up-grade and almost immediately, an equally sharp descent. The car would make a sharp turn to the right and then by a violent jerk we would be making a turn to the left. In fact, it seemed to me that the car was going through all the gymnastics of which a car is capable except rolling over on its back. After a while, as no one seemed to be getting frightened at the situation I concluded we were doing only what trains did every day, and night too, as for that matter, and that the A. T. & S. Co. was not courting an accident any more than I was.

After about half an hour of these exercises, as nothing serious seemed likely to happen I went to sleep again. I awoke about six-thirty in the morning and found we were approaching a sparsely wooded region, which seemed a relief after crossing the treeless wastes of the two preceding days.

The last ten miles of the run is through a sort of embryo branch Canyon not more than fifty feet in depth. This is of no especial interest except as it illustrates the process by which these canyons are cut through the sandstone formation. A few hundred thousand years hence this probably will be a well developed canyon—perhaps thousands of feet deep. We reached our destination about half past eight, climbed up to the hotel and soon after were standing on the brink of the vast chasm.

Here is where words fail to convey any adequate impression of the sensation which takes possession of the beholder. You look across twelve miles of space, with the other side well defined in the distance and with a view of about the same distance up and down the chasm. You are told that the bottom is a mile below your feet. Two thousand feet of this is a sheer precipice, after which the descent shelves away more gradually.

It is at first difficult to believe that the depth is so great, but after a day spent in studying it in its various aspects you are forced to believe that a mile does not exaggerate it. The thought that from a given point you are looking over two hundred square miles of abyss a mile deep, is almost staggering and yet this represents but a fraction of the great chasm, which in its whole length is over two hundred miles.

As I stood upon the rim and looked out over the vast expanse, in which are carved from the sandstone, lofty pinnacles, huge pinnacles, huge temples, various fantastic forms and great pyramids, some of which rise as high from the bottom as Mount Washington, and all clothed in harmonious and beautiful colors. With no visible cause of it all, I could but ask myself,—"By what power has all this been wrought?" The geologists say the Colorado river has done it, but from my point of view there was no river in sight.

You doubtless remember the reading exercise in the old American school reader, "Ye ice falls—motionless torrents—silent cataracts—who made you glorious as the gates of heaven beneath the keen full moon?" "God!" the torrents like the shout of nations utter, the ice plains burst and answer—"God!" The silent snow mass, loosening, thunders—"God." As I gazed upon the wondrous panorama before me, no voice thundered from the mighty depth. Had a hundred tons of the rim rock fallen it would hardly have made an audible sound when it was dashed to fragments far below. The geologists' answer points only to the agency. It seemed as though from out the vast silence at my feet, in answer to my query a still, small voice arose, "God."

Continued next week.

Fire Versus Life Insurance.

Of the 12,000,000 or so dwellings in the United States 96 per cent are protected—at least to some extent—by fire insurance. But of our 100,000,000 inhabitants only 18 per cent have taken out life insurance policies. Men seem to be more uneasy over the mere possibility of the burning of their houses than over the stern certainty that death will some day overtake them. This is a strange contradiction in human nature. To safeguard the nation's material possessions is well, but how much more valuable than the homes are the human lives of the country! In this age, when the principles of life insurance are so well understood, there should be no such discrepancy between the number of homes and of lives insured. In many instances the former could not be saved from foreclosure were the earners of incomes to pass away leaving the families unprotected. It is as much the duty of every man to insure his life as to insure his property, and if he has no insurable property there is all the more reason for insuring his life.—Leslie's.

How to Ride.

In riding sit erect and don't slouch along. Don't try to be a cowboy if you are not. We have the real simon pure cowpunchers and broncho busters; also we have the tin horn variety of the same species. Steer clear of the latter; also be careful not to get into this category yourself.

Remember that a horse is only flesh and blood and not a machine. He gets tired, hungry and thirsty, and for goodness' sake, treat him accordingly. Because he is a lively horse and you are paying his hire, treat him white just the same. Remember that some one else rode him yesterday, and another will probably do so tomorrow. Give your horse the same kind of a deal you yourself would demand if you were in his place. Even a broncho has feelings and will appreciate your thoughtfulness.—Outing.

One Misery of Anglo-Indian Life.

Every night at dinner the Anglo-Indian holds a kind of levee. The insects which attend dance gayly round the lamp, and one has to watch one's plate and glass carefully lest some of the insects should dance into them. There is one insect—a little, flat, brown, shining creature—which emits the worst odor in the world. If one of these touches your food the whole is tainted and rendered inedible. You dare not kill these pests, for if one be squashed the whole room becomes filled with its disgusting smell and is uninhabitable for the next half hour. So these abominable insects fly about with impunity, while the poor Anglo-Indian must perforce look helplessly on and inwardly sigh "sporo mello!"—London Saturday Review.

If a Naturalist Painted.

If I were to paint the short days of winter I should paint two towering icebergs approaching each other like promontories, for morning and evening, with cavernous recesses and a solitary traveler wrapping his cloak about him and bent forward against the driving storm, just entering the narrow pass. I would paint the light of a taper at midday, seen through a cottage window, half buried in snow and frost. In the foreground should be seen the sowers in the fields and other evidences of spring. On the right and left of the approaching icebergs the heavens should be shaded off from the light of midday to midnight with its stars, the sun being low in the sky.—Henry David Thoreau.

The Lyre Bird.

The fully developed male lyre bird is one of the most handsome and notable of the forms of bird life of Queensland. The contour of the bird, with its long neck and stout gallinaceous feet, is by no means unlike that of a peacock, and the wonderful tail, possessed only by the male birds, fulfills a corresponding role of vain display. The bird executes antics for a train of female admirers on a raised earthen mound. For a short period of the year, about January, the lyre bird loses its characteristic plumage and has to be content with the sober plumage of its mate.

Internal Portraiture.

An art patroness was gushing over a portrait in the presence of the artist. "I do not know how it is," she said, "but when you paint a portrait you seem to put more into it than any one else can see." "Madam," he exclaimed in a rhapsody, "it is not faces alone that I paint; it is souls!" "Oh," she replied cuttingly, for his enthusiasm was too warm, "you do interiors, do you?"—Exchange.

Cold Mixtures.

One of the coldest mixtures known is made by adding three pounds of muriatic acid to one pound of snow. Three pounds of snow added to one pound of salt make the mixture fall thirty-two degrees below freezing point.

Easy Saving.

In Argentina a postal savings bank account can be opened by depositing one paper dollar, but after that sum of mere fractions of a cent may be entered by purchase of a stamp.

Who Knows?

A little girl, finishing her breakfast, looked up and asked, "Mother, what is hash when it is alive?"—Chicago Mer-ald.

The lucky man is the one who sees and grasps his opportunity.—Old Say-ing.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of SAMUEL C. DENTON, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ALIDA M. DENTON, Adm.,
17 Linden Place, East Weymouth, Mass.
February 16, 1916

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT
TO the heirs-at-law, next-of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

EMMA F. NASH,

late of Weymouth, in said County deceased, intestate.
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Louis W. Nash, of said Weymouth, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the eighth day of March A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of February, A. D. 1916.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT
TO all persons interested in the estate of

SARAH C. BICKNELL,

late of Weymouth in said County, deceased:
Whereas, Charles Harrington, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the eighth day of March A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT
TO all persons interested in the estate of

PATRICK O'LEARY,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased:
Whereas, Maurice P. Spillane, the public administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the eighth day of March A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said public administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

MEETINGS OF THE

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Edward W. Hunt, Chairman, Weymouth.
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George L. Newton, North Weymouth.
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Weymouth Gazette

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1916

The most read book of the year, the Town Report, is out and pretty well learned by our townspeople by this time.

Owing to the Town Meeting of Monday next the regular weekly meeting of the Selectmen will be held on the following day, Tuesday, the 7th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Governor McCall shook hands with 4,450 odd callers on Washington's birthday. When he was through he must have had some gratitude in his heart for those who didn't come.

A minister in Somerville recently gave an interesting lecture on "The Telephone." We know lots of people who deliver lectures on the telephone, but they are directed to people who they think need lecturing.

We sincerely hope that the town will seriously consider article 26 and 27 in the town warrant in regard to a sewerage system at the meeting next Monday. There is nothing the town needs any more than a sewer and this year is a good time to start the ball rolling for the system.

The bad accident on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at Milford, Conn., last week comes to spoil a good two years' record in the matter of serious accidents on the line. It is extremely unfortunate in more ways than one.

Not only is the loss of life deplorable and very pathetic, but the moral effect of the "safety first" campaign by the road officers is bound to be weakened somewhat.

While there have been meetings for discussion of matters pertaining to local government, next Monday will be the 28th annual Town meeting since Weymouth was duly incorporated as a town. Undoubtedly all of these meetings have had features of importance to the living citizens and also to their posterity. What is true of all the annual Town meetings and the many special ones which have gone before is equally true of the one to be held next Monday, it is, or will be, of vital importance to those of us who are living and also of the many people who will come after us. The Warrant we will have to handle is one which needs careful attention as does the expenditure of our own household or personal business affairs. There is not an article in the warrant but which, like all legislation, has merit in it from some one's standpoint but the question is the standpoint of the majority or still more important, the standpoint of feasibility or advisability. The time and place to decide all of these questions is at the Town meeting. As usual the "afterwards" discussion will be as interesting as those listened to at the meeting but as usual the most marked criticism will be by those who were not there or did not vote when there. The Appropriation committee has put in an unusual amount of work, gone over all the articles with care and will submit their findings at the meeting and while no one is bound to follow the appropriation committee as a rule, it has been found a pretty safe thing to do but whatever you do go to the town meeting and vote on every question according to your own unbiased or unprejudiced opinion.

TUFTS LIBRARY.
Art Exhibition.

The subject of the set of pictures from the Library Art Club, now in the Reading Room, is "Pictures by European Artists from the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston." The exhibit will remain until March 20.

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SUSANNAH TUFTS CHAPTER D.A.R.

Monthly Meeting Held at Home of
Mrs. Harriett B. Bachelder in
Weymouth Last Monday Afternoon.

The Susannah Tufts chapter, D. A. R., held its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Harriett B. Bachelder at her home on Washington street, Weymouth, February 28 at 2:30 o'clock.

There were two piano solos by Miss Cady and Miss Loud and a vocal selection by Mrs. Jennie B. Worster. Mrs. Franklin P. Shumway of the Old Colony chapter, D. A. R. of Melrose, gave a delightful talk on her trip to the Pan-American Exposition. As she was a D. A. R. delegate she accompanied the president general. At every stop along the way D. A. R. members greeted them and presented them with souvenirs. Where a long stop was made receptions, luncheons, and banquets were given in their honor. Denver, Colorado City, Pueblo, Salt Lake City and the Yellow Stone Park were among the places visited en route. The exposition and the side trips, the receptions, banquets and luncheons were one happy reality.

Mrs. Shumway spoke impressively of the performances of the Mission play at San Gabriel, Cal., which is to our country what Oberamagan is to Europe.

Despite the blustery weather, it was the largest meeting of the year. Mrs. Bachelder was assisted at refreshment time by Mrs. Arthur Bryant, Miss Hattie Nash, Mrs. W. B. Clapp and Mrs. Ella Richards. Among the guests were Mrs. Chester J. Underhill, Mrs. R. L. Hunt, Mrs. Eleanor Ingalls, Miss Mattie Loud, Miss Stetson and Miss Cady.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, this association of employees of the Stetson Shoe Company, known as The Stetson Shoe Mutual Benefit Association, and,

Whereas, this association is controlled and maintained by said employees for the benefit and relief of its members: be it,

Resolved, that we, as an association, by this resolution, passed by its board of directors at a specially called meeting February 25, 1916, express our sympathies upon the sudden death of our member, Walter Edward Holbrook. His countenance, as he travelled from floor to floor through the factory, will be sadly missed.

Signed,

EDWARD CUTLER, vice president,
CLARA HERSEY, secretary.WEYMOUTH
HEIGHTS

—Mrs. Frederick Stetson who has been making an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Nash, has returned to her home in Rockland, Me.

—A business meeting of the L. B. S. was held at the home of the president, Mrs. F. A. Richards on Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stockbridge have been entertaining Mr. Stockbridge's mother from Brighton.

—Mrs. Fanny Pierce who is in the Home for Incurables, Dorchester, is ill with the grippe. Mrs. Pierce is eighty-four years old and up to this time has been as comfortable as could be expected.

—A most successful Poverty party was enjoyed by the girls' intermediate class of the Old North Sunday school at the home of their teacher, Mrs. F. C. McDowell on Friday evening. This party was given by one half of the class to the other half, it being the result of a lesson contest which the class has been carrying on for the past few months. The prize of the evening was awarded to Miss Doris Winters. Although the costumes represented poverty, the refreshments were of the best, being ice cream, cake and candy.

—Charles Barrows has purchased a Ford automobile.

—Harry Lovell, who has been working in Middleboro for the past year, is now making his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lovell of Union avenue, and has accepted a position at the Fore River works.

—The meeting on Sunday evening at 6:30 of the Christian Endeavor society will be a consecration meeting under the leadership of Miss Helen Ries. Subject, "The Consecration of Strength."

—On Tuesday evening a social of the Christian Endeavor society was held in the Old North chapel under the auspices of the social committee, George Lunt being chairman. Preceding a program of games, the members were entertained by pleasing piano duets by the Misses Ruth A. Nash and Helen Ries; vocal solos by the president, Mrs. J. B. Merrill, and readings by Miss Ruth Sladen. A feature of the evening was a spelling match conducted by Rev. Edward J. Yaeger, in which Mrs. F. C. McDowell proved her ability by outspelling everyone. A dainty collation was served and a most enjoyable evening was spent by all.

First Church, 'Old North' Notes

"The Great Refusal" will be the subject of the pastor's thought on Sunday morning. Communion will be observed. The community is heartily invited to share in the service of the hour.

On Thursday, March 10, at 7:30 p. m., the subject will be, "What Shall We Prepare For?" Everyone is invited to bring a flag of our country or of any nation. Several persons will speak. The meeting will be open for discussion. All welcome.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—Miss Elizabeth Clark of Curtis street spent a few days at Mt. Ida school for girls during the past week.

—The "Sparklers" club met with Miss Rose Page of North street last Saturday evening.

—The Vehemalidove club met with Mrs. Henry F. Clapp of Quincy last Monday evening.

—Mrs. Miles P. Keene has been confined to the house during the past week by an attack of the grippe.

—Rev. and Mrs. Charles Clark have been entertaining Mrs. Joseph Sampson and Misses Eleanor and Myrtle Sampson of Manchester, N. H., Miss M. Lucy Elliot of Ashby, Miss Lorraine Hayward of Lunenburg and Miss E. J. Clark of Hubbardston during the past week.

—The Tenophus club met with Mrs. Arthur Mercer of Sea street last Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Curtice of Manchester, N. H., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Sampson of Lincoln street.

—Mrs. Alton Jones of Campello was visiting relatives in town this week.

—The infant daughter, Eleanor Louise, of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis D. Loring, passed away on Tuesday, February 29th.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday and were conducted by Rev. Rufus H. Dix of Newtonville.

—About 125 people sat down to the turkey supper at the Pilgrim church on Tuesday evening, February 29th. Mrs. Raymond Lane, with a corps of assistants, had the affair in charge and it proved very successful.

—Mrs. Etta Ross of Quincy is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Samuel Drew of Sea street.

—Miss Isabelle Tutty, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Tutty of Sea street is improving from her recent illness.

—The funeral of Joseph P. Derby, a veteran of the Civil War, having served in Co. B, 44th Massachusetts Infantry, was held at the home of his niece, Mrs. G. E. Cherrington, 8 Lindale avenue on Thursday afternoon, February 24th. The service was conducted by Rev. James Huxtable of Boston. The burial was in the North Weymouth cemetery.

—George Place of Bridge street is able to be out again after being confined to the house for several weeks.

—The Norfolk East District Sunday School association will hold a conference at the Universalist church on Monday evening, March 6th, at 7:45 o'clock. The speakers will be Rev. Tyler E. Gale of S. Braintree, Miss Louise C. Tower of Cohasset and Rev. H. L. Howard of Randolph. There will be a general discussion on the topics of the evening. All interested in this work are urged to be present.

—Mrs. Mary Raymond passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Clark of Lovell street on Tuesday, February 29th. She had been sick for some time. A son, George B. Raymond, and a daughter, Mrs. Fred Clark survive her. Funeral services were held this (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Community Welfare Service.

It is the desire of those arranging the Community Welfare services in the Congregational Church, East Weymouth, that it be known to all that these services are for all the public and will be held regularly. There seems to be a tendency on the part of some to think that these services are held only once in a while, but such is not the case.

Last Sunday evening Hon. Chester I. Campbell, ex-mayor of Quincy was the speaker and took for his subject, "The Optimist." Rev. Edward T. Ford, D. D. presided and led the devotional exercises. Flute solos were played by Harold W. Raymond. Fred V. Garey, organist, Mr. Raymond, flute and Norman E. Dizer, violinist led the Gospel praise service.

Next Sunday evening at seven o'clock, in the tenth of the series of twenty services, a program has been provided that will appeal to music lovers. A choir of twenty-five voices with Miss Ethel Freeman Raymond, organist and director will render "Gallia," a cantata by Gounod.

May Stop Speeding.

Scientists now state that speeding is bad for a pet dog's heart. This ought to stop it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOHN COYLE

late of Weymouth in said County, deceased: Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by John M. Coyle of said Weymouth who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named without giving surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-second day of March, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Weymouth Gazette a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

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J. R. MCCOOLE, Register.

K. OF C. CELEBRATE.

13th Anniversary of Weymouth Council
729 Knights of Columbus Held
Wednesday Evening With Many
Features.

Masonic Temple, East Weymouth, was the scene of a brilliant assembly on Wednesday night, when Weymouth Council K. of C. observed their 13th anniversary with a reception, entertainment, buffet lunch and dancing. The reception committee was composed of C. Bernard Mitchell, J. Henry Curran, Dr. John C. Fraser, Edward Butler, Bartholomew Coughlan, Joseph Kelley, Henry Hanley, John Reardon, Thomas Buttner, John W. Cronin, C. J. Lynch, Michael Kilroy and Daniel E. Looney.

William H. Doyle, Grand Knight welcomed the guests, after which addresses were made by State Deputy Louis Watson, Rev. James F. Sliney, Daniel Gallagher, State secretary and G. D. Driscoll. There was solo singing by James Cornell accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Cornell. Weymouth Council Glee club, 30 male voices, now made their initial appearance in public, and they scored a hit right off. A buffet lunch was served after the entertainment. Upwards of 250 members and guests attended the affair, which ended with dancing.

The committee which had the arrangements in charge, consisted of W. H. Doyle, G. A. McGowan, Edward O'Brien, J. Walter Cronin, William Bric, J. W. McDonald, A. J. Fahie, Archie Heffernan, Joseph A. Fern, James Knox, W. J. Fitzsimmons, B. J. Smith and E. J. Goulart.

Figures Seen in the Moon.

A great many curious ideas exist in various parts of the world regarding the dark spots in the moon's disk. In the eastern part of Asia the spots are believed to be a rabbit or a hare; the Chinese, in particular, look upon them as a hare sitting up and pounding rice in a mortar. Most of the Siamese take the same view. Some few, however, see in the moon a man and woman working in a field.

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SOUTH WEYMOUTH

—Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sampson were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Crawford.

—Jacob C. Wiebert of Tower avenue left on a business trip through the south. ern states on Monday.

—Henry Lowell, who is visiting his son Francis at Philadelphia is reported to be suffering from rheumatism.

—E. Thayer McBride of East Rochester, N. H., spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Carrie McBride.

—William Hilde has returned from Burlington, N. J., where he has been employed for the last few months.

—Henry Lowell, who is assigned to shore duty at the Charlestown Navy yard, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowell. He had with him as his guest, George Benjamin of Framingham.

—Dr. James Chamberlain of Boston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sinnett of Correy street.

—Leo O'Dowd of Rochester, N. H., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew O'Dowd.

—The South Weymouth Ice Co. started to harvest more ice at Great Pond, Monday.

—Mrs. N. Abbott Derby has recovered from her recent sickness.

—There was a Union Temperance meeting at the 2nd Universalist church Sunday evening. Addresses were made by the Reverends Alvord, Line and Price of the South Weymouth churches.

—Mrs. DuBois of White Park has returned from a Boston hospital where she underwent a serious operation.

—Mrs. Julia Grady of Hartford, Conn., is visiting her brother, Timothy D. Sullivan.

—The Bassobee club members journeyed to East Braintree, Wednesday to spend the day with Mrs. John Vining.

—The Norfolk club held a smoker at the club room on Tuesday evening. J. B. Thrasher gave his celebrated "French Canadian Dialect Stories" for the entertainment. A supper was served at 10 o'clock under the direction of "Archie" Blanchard.

—The Union street whist club met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Hattie Chandler.

—Mrs. Charles Maxfield of New Bedford has been visiting Mrs. Arthur Tirrell of Main street.

—The Ladies' Aid of the Old South church held a supper and social at the church vestry Tuesday evening under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Tirrell. After the supper the following program was given: piano solo by Bradford Tirrell; violin solo by Luther Hayden; a Japanese song by Mary Hersey; mienet by Hazel Joy; readings by Gertrude Altman; cornet solo by Laura Hirt; duet by Hazel Manuel and Bradford Tirrell.

—The Foresters held a whist party at their rooms Tuesday evening.

—Combination 5 was called to Holbrook at 6 o'clock Thursday morning by the Holbrook fire department to aid in fighting the flames at the Holbrook town hall fire which destroyed the building.

—Funeral services of Mrs. Eunice P. Torrey, widow of Francis Torrey, were held at her home, 326 Main street, last Thursday afternoon. Rev. Henry C. Alvord of the Old South Congregational church officiated. Interment was in Mt. Hope cemetery.

—Morning worship at 10.30 with sermon by pastor, Rev. Henry C. Alvord. 11.45 Sunday school. 2 P. M. Communion service. At 6.30 combined meeting C. E. and evening meeting with subject "The Consecration of Strength." This will be the monthly consecration meeting, Thursday evening, March 9, prayer meeting.

—Music, March 5, A. M. Anthem, "Abide in Me," (Lorenz); Solo, "Ave Maria," from "Cavalleria Rusticana," (Marzo).

—Union Church Notes.
Morning worship and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Sermon theme, "The Temple's East Gate." Communion will be observed.

—Sabbath school service under direction of the superintendent, John W. Robinson at 12 o'clock. A special parents' day service has been arranged for the first 15 to 20 minutes. The public as well as the parents are cordially invited to attend this unique service.

—Christian Endeavor service and consecration will be held at 6 o'clock p. m.

—Universalist Church Notes.
Morning sermon at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Fred A. Line. Subject, "The Man of Deeds." Good music by vested choir under the direction of Miss Deane. Sunday school 12 o'clock. Y. P. C. U. meeting 5.30, leader, Miss Helen Baker. At 7 o'clock Rev. U. S. Milburn of Salem, who proved so popular in his recent lecture on Switzerland, will be here to deliver his illustrated lecture on Scotland. Scotch songs will be sung by Mrs. Percy Bicknell. All are invited.

—Growing Bodies Require Much Food.
Growing bodies have the most innate heat, they therefore require the most food, for otherwise their bodies are wasted. In old persons the heart is feeble and therefore they require little fuel, as it were, to the flame, for it would be extinguished by much. On this account, also, fevers in old persons are not equally acute, because their bodies are cold.—Health Culture.

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EAST WEYMOUTH, MASS.

Annual Meeting Congregational Society of East Weymouth.

The annual meeting was held at the church last evening. M. E. Hawes was elected moderator and the following business transacted: C. Will Bailey elected clerk; John A. Raymond, treasurer; C. B. Cushing, collector; T. H. Emerson, Geo. M. Hoyt and C. B. Cushing, prudential committee and assessors.

Voted, That the prudential committee fill all minor offices. Reports of the clerk, treasurer and collector were read, and after a discussion of several important matters, it was voted to adjourn to Wednesday evening, the 8th inst., when it is hoped to have a larger attendance of members of the society, as the meeting will be quite an important one.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Land Court.

To M. Frances Pool, Lucinda R. Gardner and Gustave B. Bates, of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Carrie Elizabeth Holbrook, Grace Warren Holbrook, Blanch Elizabeth Holbrook, and Carrie May Holbrook, of Whitman, in the County of Plymouth, and said Commonwealth; Harriet H. Creed, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Florence Lydia Holbrook, of Stamford, in the State of Connecticut; and to all whom it may concern.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Robert M. White, of said Weymouth, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Weymouth, bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Pleasant Street; Northeasterly by land of Lucinda R. Gardner; Southeasterly by land of Gustave B. Bates, and Southwesterly by Washington Street.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the twenty-seventh day of March A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, CHARLES THORNTON DAVIS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of February in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
[SEAL] CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of WARREN WESTON

late of Weymouth in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Mary S. Meigs of said Weymouth, and Walter Lawrence West n, of Paducah in the State of Kentucky, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named without giving surety on their official bonds;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-second day of March A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
[SEAL] J. R. MCCOOLE, Register.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

BY SEEVER & FROST, AUCTIONEERS,
18 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of real estate given by Edwin Hadley, Jr., and Marion W. Hadley, his wife, in her right, both of Watertown, Mass., County, Massachusetts, to Workingmen's Co-operative Bank, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and having its usual place of business in Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, dated April 9, 1915, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1310, Page 378, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Wednesday, March 29, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, the real estate described in said mortgage, to wit:

"Two certain parcels of land with the buildings thereon, shown as parcel A and Parcel B on a plan of land in (South) Weymouth, Mass., for Carrie T. MacBride, Russell H. Whiting, Civil Engineer, dated May 4, 1915, which plan is to be recorded herewith, together bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Central Street as shown on said plan, Two hundred twenty-nine and 07-100 (229 07) feet; Northwesterly by land now or late of Ethel M. Wright and Ruth M. Wright, One hundred thirteen and 37-100 (113 37) feet; Southwesterly by land now or late of Alfred W. Hastings, One hundred eighty-two and 28-100 (182 28) feet; Northwesterly again by lands now or late of Alfred W. Hastings, Second Universalist Society in Weymouth, Walter H. Joy, Frank A. Brown and Florence E. Dyer, Two hundred and thirty-eight and 41-100 (238 41) feet; Southerly by land now or late of William T. Reed et al, Two hundred eighty-eight and 44-100 (288 44) feet; Southeasterly by land now or late of Hattie M. Bullock, One hundred eighteen and 31-100 (118 31) feet; Northwesterly again by said land of Hattie M. Bullock and by land now or late of Joseph H. Burrell, One hundred eighty-four and 82-100 (184 82) feet; and Southeasterly again by land now or late of said Burrell, One hundred thirteen and 41-100 (113 41) feet. Said parcel A containing according to said plan, about 25,700 square feet, and said parcel B containing about 42,500 square feet."

Together with all rights and privileges contained or referred to in deed from Carrie T. MacBride of even date with said mortgage and recorded therewith.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, and municipal assessments, if any. Four hundred dollars (\$400) required at sale.

WORKINGMEN'S CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.

By FRANK E. BUREANE, Treasurer.

For further particulars apply to William W. Swan, Attorney for the Bank, Rooms 1111-1117 Paddock Building, 101 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

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PEOPLE'S COLUMN

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects, the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

The Editor of the Weymouth Gazette:

The attention of the voters may well be turned to articles 44 and 45 in the warrant for the coming town meeting which calls for the acceptance and working of a part of a private way known as Fore River Avenue, which extends along the water front at Bay View beach from the foot of Sea Street to Sachem Street so called, not far from the old shipyard.

The proposal is to accept and work the westerly end from the foot of Holbrook Road, approximately 450 feet or about one half of the whole from Sea Street, \$1200 being asked for the purpose. In its favor it is urged that it would benefit the approach to the old shipyard neighborhood, notably the Yacht Club house located there, and that further as a matter, claimed to be of general public improvement it should be built.

On the other hand the voters may well note the following points:

The proposed road is for nearly the entire distance not on the main land proper, but upon the beach and, as such is at present washed and storm-swept by the highest tides.

The proposition, apparently is to use the \$1200 in erecting a sea wall with little or no filling behind it.

At the original hearing before the Selectmen the minimum official estimate was understood to be \$1650.

One of the petitioners at that time admitted, what must be generally conceded that the present proposition if carried out, will really call for an extension later to Sea Street, which would practically double the expense.

The \$1200 asked this year though an exceptionally large sum for the length of road is evidently quite insufficient and thus probably is only the beginning of an unknown amount that Fore River Avenue on this scheme will sooner or later demand.

As to the assumed need, it may be said, in brief that the volume of travel over it would be very largely confined to three or four months in the summer when the present road along this way compares fairly with neighboring roads and thus answers the essential need.

Sachem Street too, when properly arranged and developed by the town as it would speedily seem to need, will also furnish approach to this locality. Though a private way nominally, Fore River Avenue so called has been open and unobstructed for so long that it can never be closed, nor its continued use as at present cut off.

The acceptance of this road will not apparently add one dollar to the revenue of the town, as every lot adjoining it is already builded upon. Nor will it open up any back land not already provided for. So far as the abutters are concerned, it is not better that instead of asking for it, they are unanimous in opposing it as detrimental.

Considering then the lack of essential need, and the serious doubt of its being really a public improvement and considering further that the ultimate cost to the town will be nobody knows how far beyond the \$1200 asked for this year, and having in mind the emphatic statement of the selectmen in their current report of the urgent need of larger appropriations for the town's public ways the taxpayers may well hesitate before taking the money from needy roads on solid ground and putting it into the beginning of an ambitious scheme of building a highway upon the shifting sands of the sea shore.

A Tax Payer.

To the Editor of the Weymouth Gazette:

Is it true that there is to be determined opposition in the annual town meeting to an appropriation for Fore River Avenue, North Weymouth? I hope that this is not so. As a resident and modest taxpayer for some years, I feel that the defeat of a small appropriation which has been, I understand, approved by the appropriation committee and by the selectmen, would be unwise and unjust.

North Weymouth is growing. It will grow faster, steadier and more satisfactorily if the voters throughout the town will meet the newer comers half way and will remember that no section of the town

can be injured and no section can be helped, without injuring, or helping, the town as a whole.

Fore River Avenue, as planned for construction, will be a comparatively small strip of highway, but I am informed that it will be the only highway on North Weymouth's extensive shore line to which a visitor or citizen may have access, safely and comfortably, by pleasure vehicle.

It will help, not merely "a few summer residents", as has been asserted, but it will benefit that section, it will help the town and it will be a feature of our river frontage that should appeal to all visitors and induce some of them to make their homes with us.

Personally I am not concerned in the defeat or success of this measure. I do not live on the shore front and have no property there. I would like, as a summer and winter resident here, to have every citizen work and vote for the benefit of every section. Local jealousies are expensive in the long run; local obstacles to improvements are sometimes selfish and near-sighted and annual attempts to draw dividing lines between our older citizens and later comers are beneficial to neither side and invariably injurious to the town.

In this matter there is offered a fair opportunity for Weymouth as a whole to do something inexpensive and helpful for a section that is growing under inevitable handicaps, has accepted its handicaps in a fairly cheerful spirit and merely desires that when opportunity offers, as it now does, the town will do the right thing—not, in the long run, for the cottagers in one section, not for North Weymouth, but for and in behalf of Weymouth herself and the Weymouth spirit—the spirit that invites men and women to come here to make their homes here, and to contribute to the work of making this a "bigger better and busier" Weymouth.

The question is far larger than that covered by individual preferences and prejudices. It is a question of community welfare in practical form.

Sincerely yours
William H. Holden.

North Weymouth, March 1, 1916.



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Feb. 23, 1916.

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Feb. 23, 1916.

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Calendar of County Courts.

Supreme Judicial Court Jury Sitting, third Tuesday of February.
Superior Court, Civil Sessions—For work with Juries—First Monday of January, first Monday of May, and first Monday of October. For Court work—First Monday of February, first Monday of April, first Monday of September, and first Monday of December.
Superior Court, Criminal Sessions—First Monday of April; first Monday of September; first Monday of December.
Probate Court—At Dedham, on the first and third Wednesdays of every month, except August. At Quincy, on the second Wednesday of every month, except August. At Brookline, on the fourth Wednesday of every month, except August.
County Commissioners' Meetings—Third Tuesday of April; fourth Tuesday of June; fourth Tuesday of September; last Wednesday of December. By adjournment: On Tuesdays, except during August.
District Court of East Norfolk. Jurisdiction Randolph, Braintree, Cohasset, Weymouth, Quincy, Haverhill and Milton. Court held at Quincy for criminal business every week day except legal holidays, and for civil business Tuesdays at 5 a. m. Justice, Albert E. Avery, Braintree. Special Justices, E. Granville Pratt, Quincy; Louis A. Cook, Weymouth. Clerk, Lawrence W. Lyons. Asst. James McDonald. Probation Officer, Francis A. Spear, 25 Tayer Street, Quincy. Court Officer and Bail Commissioner, William Marden, 24 Coddington Street, Quincy.

The Girl Who Drove the Cows to Pasture

A Story For St. Valentine's Day

By SARAH BAXTER

"Grandpa, won't you tell us a valentine story?" said a miss of fourteen. "You told us a story for Christmas, and I think you might do the same now that St. Valentine's day has come around."

The old gentleman cleared his throat, the children gathered about him, and he acceded to their request.

"St. Valentine's day has changed from what it was when I was a youngster. It is now a day for little children to send and receive valentines."

"I see no reason why the sending of valentines when they are in good taste should not be observed today among those of the mating age. The only objection is the abuse of the custom, but I admit that it is a serious objection. There are special cases where a valentine may bring two persons together in a happy marriage. For instance, suppose a young man admires a girl he does not know and has no means of knowing."

"Never mind all that, grandpa. We want the story."

"I would not consider 'all that' essential had it not been for the change that has come over the custom of sending valentines, warping it from its original purity. However, I have no more to say by way of preface and will begin."

"There was once upon a time a young fellow—we'll call him Jim—who lived in the country. He had never had anything to do with girls and knew nothing about them. He was red headed and freckled, and when he looked in the glass it seemed to him he was so homely that he would have to live all his life without a wife or children to love him, for no girl would have him. So he said to himself, 'I'll always keep away from girls, because I might fall in love with one of them, and in that case I might die of a broken heart.' It seemed hardly necessary to make such a resolution, for Jim was never thrown in with girls, and if he had been he was too bashful to become at all companionable with any of them."

"What was Jim's surprise one day to receive a valentine. It came in an envelope—the same as you children use now—covered with Cupids and arrows piercing hearts and was addressed to him in a girl's handwriting. He stared at the outside, for a time not realizing that it was for him and wondering if there was not some mistake about it. Since he did not know a girl how could a girl send him a valentine? But there was his name written out in full, with his usual address at the village, a mile away from the farm. Still doubting, he opened the envelope and took out the prettiest valentine you ever saw. In its center was a colored picture of a young man and a girl sitting in a bower, and the very sight of it made Jim's finger tips tingle. In each of the four corners was a Cupid with a bow and arrow, and every arrow was aimed at the couple in the bower. Jim has seen many a valentine since, but they have no such effect as this first and only valentine he ever received when he was young and was conscious that with all his red hair and freckles and ungainly farm walk there was a girl in the world who thought enough of him to send him a valentine. Today valentines are to him nothing more than cheap stamped pieces of paper with colored pictures."

"How do you know how he feels about the valentines, grandpa?" asked a little girl.

"How do I know it? Because—If you care to hear the end of the story you mustn't interrupt me."

The old gentleman chuckled and proceeded with his narrative:

"Jim, who had made a resolution that he would have nothing to do with any girl for fear he might fall in love and die of a broken heart, found himself all of a sudden dwelling continually on a girl he had never seen. He formed a great many mental pictures of her, which gradually settled down to one that remained always the same—a girl with golden hair, blue eyes, rosy cheeks, a dimple in each, and a sweet smile. If he was following the plow this girl walked beside him. If he was milking she was milking another cow near him. When he ate his meals she sat opposite him at table. Indeed, wherever he was, whatever he was doing, she was with him."

"One thing Jim couldn't understand. If there was a girl in the world who fancied him, with all his red hair and freckles, why didn't she put something on the valentine to give him a clue to whom she was? Not knowing anything about girls, he was ignorant of the fact that a girl's great delight is to bother any young fellow she happens to fancy, and the more she fancies him the more she likes to tease him."

"Of course there were girls in that part of the country, though Jim didn't know any of them, else how could he have received a valentine? After his receipt every girl he met he looked at to see if she showed any preference for him. He was too unused to them to understand their tricks and their manners and did not know that the girl who fancied him would be sure to try to make him think she didn't or if she showed a preference one day

would probably show indifference the next."

"There was a girl who lived half a mile up the road from Jim who drove her father's cows to pasture every morning and back to the barn every evening. One evening Jim was up that way and passed her on the road while she was driving the cows. She was about fifteen years old, straight as an arrow and wore her dress to the tops of her boots. Her hair and eyes were black. There was something about the way she carried herself that took Jim's fancy, and he hoped that when she came near him she would take enough interest in him at least to look at him. What was his disappointment to see her while he was passing her look up at the sky. 'Well,' said Jim to himself, 'she can't be the girl who sent me the valentine, sure. She didn't take enough interest in me to see what kind of a feller I am.'

"But somehow Jim after that frequently found it convenient to be up that way in the morning, sometimes in the evening, but always about the hour that the girl was driving the cows to or from pasture. Every time he passed her she looked up at the sky. Gradually Jim from meeting her so often came to cease to be afraid of her, and one morning while passing he said: "'Mornin', Miss Look-in-the-Air.'

"The girl turned her big black eyes full upon him and made a face at him. After that for awhile when Jim passed her he looked up at the sky himself, but one day, suddenly dropping his eye, he caught the girl looking straight at him. She at once switched her eyes aside."

"This was the first time in his life Jim got on to the fact that you can't always tell how a girl feels by what she does. From that time forward he became brave when he saw a girl coming and ceased to feel a desire to climb a fence to get out of the way. He took pains to meet the girl who drove the cows, and one evening when one of the animals broke away and galloped up a side road Jim ran after her and brought her back. This kindly act seemed to placate the girl, and she unbent so far as to thank him. The ice was broken, and an acquaintance was formed."

"Jim hadn't forgotten his valentine, but the imaginary girl with golden hair and blue eyes gradually faded away, her place being taken by the brunette who drove the cows to pasture. He was seized with a desire to do something for her. When idle he dreamed day dreams of finding her chased by a furious bull and his rescuing the animal's charge with a pitchfork. Another scene attractive to him was the girl swimming around in the river while he was swimming for her and finally carrying her to shore."

"Well, Jim gradually forgot his red hair and his freckles and his other deficiencies and sidled up to his new found friend. A year passed, and when another St. Valentine's day came around he wondered if the girl who had sent him a valentine before would send him another, but he didn't care much whether she did or not, for by this time he was engrossed with a girl he knew, and she was much preferable to one he didn't know. But with all the courage Jim had gained he hadn't enough to say to his cow driver what he wished to say—that 'his heart was just bustin' for her.'

"Happily St. Valentine's day let him out of that, at least he took it for granted it would, and he sent his real flame a valentine. Unfortunately Jim hadn't one handy and was too busy to go to the village to buy one, so he sent her the one he had received the year before."

"The next day he met his flame on the road, and to his chagrin she looked straight ahead without taking the slightest notice of him. Jim supposed that she had in some way learned that he had sent her a valentine, and this was her answer. He took his medicine bravely at first, but his courage didn't last. When he was not at work he used to go into the barn and up in the hayloft and sit down and mope. It seemed to him that the bottom had dropped out of the universe. He didn't go up the road where he had been used to meeting the girl. Instead of wishing an explanation he was afraid to receive one. If her cutting him dead was so terrible to bear what would he suffer if she told him in plain words that he had offended her by offering her his love? And yet why should she know that the valentine he had sent her was from him?

"However he suffered so that at last he mustered up courage to face the music and find out what he didn't understand. So he walked up the road in the evening at the exact time she was driving in the cows. He met her and said: "'I'm sorry you didn't like my sending you a valentine.'

"'It wasn't your sending me a valentine I didn't like; it was the valentine I sent you last year.'

"You could have knocked him down with a feather. He was the most astonished fellow you ever saw."

"Did you send me that valentine?" he asked.

"'Didn't you know I sent it?'

"No."

"She blushed, and Jim went right up to her and said:

"'Hazel'—"

"Hazel" exclaimed several of the children at once.

"Yes, Didn't I say her name was Hazel?'

"No. Why, that's grandma's name."

"So it is. That's funny, isn't it?'

"Are you sure Hazel wasn't grandma?'

"Well, to tell the truth, I don't know but that she was."

Off ran the children to find grandma to tell her all about the story of the girl who drove the cows to pasture.

Following Are a Few of the Items Which Appeared in the Gazette Years Ago This Week.

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO
—The weather the past week has been quite springlike and many people are inquiring if it is not nearly time for the Braintree and Weymouth electric.

—Frank A. Burrell has commenced this season's work for '95 and has gone to Savannah with the Brooklyns, in which club he will play behind the bat this year.

—The Quincy & Boston Street Railroad Company opened their powerhouse for public inspection on Friday and Saturday last. The plant is pleasantly situated at Quincy Point.

—The past week has been a quiet one all along the line, so far as street railroad building is concerned, but should the favorable weather, which is indicated this morning, continue, rapid developments may be looked for and new travelling facilities be furnished the people.

—This ward has its complement of candidates for selectmen, three having already taken the field and the fourth having been nominated and declined to stand. If the people of this ward are not satisfied with the choice after election they can blame no one but themselves as they have a large field to select from.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 3/4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.

Exploding Ice.

To make a piece of ice explode the first step is to put on a plate a lump of clear ice about as large as your fist. Then with a reading glass or the lens of a magnifying glass focus the sun's rays so that the bright spot of light is exactly in the center of the lump. In a little time the ice will begin to melt from the inside, and after a few moments a small cavity will appear, for the ice, having expanded in freezing, will not take up so much room when melted. The cavity, being entirely surrounded by ice, will be a partial vacuum, filled with a watery vapor of very low pressure. When you have melted a large cavity lay the glass aside and let the ice melt in the sun. Turn it occasionally so that it will be sure to melt evenly round the cavity. After awhile the cavity will be surrounded by a thin shell of ice. Then, because of the great pressure on the outside (about fifteen pounds to the square inch), the thin walls will suddenly collapse, and the ice will fly in all directions.—Youth's Companion.

Much the Simpler Plan.

Mr. Newell—Well, we are beginning housekeeping, and I presume the simplest plan will be for me to give you a regular amount every week for expenses. Just figure up what it will cost.

Mrs. Newell—I could never do that in the world—so many things to count, you know—but let me see. Oh, I have it! I have thought of a much simpler plan.

"All right, my angel! What is it?"

"You figure up what it will cost you for car fare and lunches and give me the rest."—New York Weekly.

Florence Nightingale.

There is a story that after the return to England of the troops from the Crimea Lord Stratford at a dinner suggested that those present should write on a piece of paper the name of the person whose Crimean reputation would endure longest. When the votes came to be examined it was found that not a single soldier had received a vote. Every paper bore the same two words—Florence Nightingale.

La Poitessie.

The Fair One—Oh, I wished I had lived a hundred years ago. The Other One—But then you would be a long time dead and would not be sitting here happily by my side. The Fair One—True, true! So I couldn't! Forgive me, dearest!—New York Post.

The Greatest Financier.

"Who was the greatest financier ever known?"

"Noah, because he floated his stock when the whole world was in liquidation."

Accommodating.

Jinks—Have you got quarters for a dollar, old man? Winks—My vest pocket is rather crowded, but pass it over and I'll try to make room for it.

Hope.

When Thales was asked what is most universal he answered hope, for hope stays with those who have nothing else.—Epictetus.

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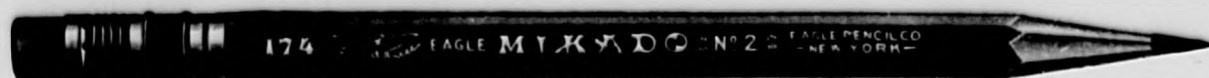
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THE SIGNAL

A Story of Revolution In Mexico

By F. A. MITCHEL

The republic of Mexico had been tranquil under the presidency of Ippolito Quintana, and it was supposed by that people of many governments that they would be permitted to continue at peace and to recover from the effects of anarchy.

But no one can tell what is about to happen in Mexico. In that country a revolution is liable at any time to flash like lightning from a clear sky.

One afternoon Manuel Coral, a nephew and the secretary of the president, rode into the country a distance of a dozen miles to the residence of General Munoz, whose title had come from his once having commanded a band of revolutionists. But Coral was not going to see the general. Inez Garcia, the daughter of a former president of Mexico who had been deposed and garroted, being without means of support had been taken into the Munoz family and made governess to the general's children. Manuel Coral had met her and fallen in love with her.

The young man reached the Munoz hacienda as the sun was setting and rode up between an avenue of trees to the house. The general was sitting on his veranda. Coral threw himself from his horse, turned the beast over to a dusky stableman and advanced to meet the general. To his surprise the visitor saw under an assumed cordiality a partially concealed antagonism. The general seemed to be displeased at his coming. His previous visits had been welcomed by the host, and the visitor had every reason to presume that his attentions to Senorita Inez were approved by the general and his family. Their approval was a matter of importance, for the young lady owed them much and was treated more like one of them than a hireling. Manuel's first thought was that for some reason unknown to him they had withdrawn their consent for a match between him and their protegee.

"You will find Inez within," said the general after placing his hand coldly in that of Manuel. "She is arranging flowers for the table. Of course you will sup with us."

Manuel went into the house, meeting Senorita Munoz in the hall. She started on seeing him and knit her brows; then resuming her usual cordial manner she welcomed him, called Inez from the dining room, and the visitor and the senorita passed into the drawing room. Inez, if she did not appear discomposed at his coming, seemed troubled. "Something is wrong, sweetheart," said Manuel. "The general received me with, to say the least, embarrassment. Senorita Munoz was startled at seeing me, and you do not greet me as usual. Tell me what it all means."

Inez was silent for a moment, then made a reply that Coral knew was a prevarication.

"Don't you think you are exaggerating the want of cordiality of your reception? The general and Senorita Munoz may have something annoying on their minds that renders the presence of a visitor in the house just at present inconvenient to them."

Manuel studied her face, which was half averted, for a few moments and made up his mind that something was on hand which might be important, something that he should know. He resolved to conceal his suspicion.

"I can very well understand such a situation," he said. "Unlucky the hosts as well as the visitor who comes at an inopportune time. But, now I am here we must all make the best of it. My ride from the city has given me an appetite, and the general has invited me to supper. If I find later in the evening that my presence is annoying I will go back to the city. It is a two hour ride and there are cutthroats on the way, but I will not force myself upon those who do not wish my company."

At the mention of his riding over a road that was infested by robbers Inez clung to him, appearing much disturbed. But she said nothing, and in an other moment supper was announced.

After the meal Coral and his sweet heart were again permitted to occupy the parlor together. Manuel did not refer again to the want of cordiality with which he had been received. At 9 o'clock he arose to go. Inez seemed disturbed, but did not invite him to remain. Passing into the hall, the general came out of a room opposite to meet him.

"You are not going to the city to night?" said Inez.

"Certainly. Why not?"

"Better remain here. I insist upon it. I should not forgive myself if you should meet with trouble on the way."

"What trouble?"

"Never mind that. We have a room for you, and I shall expect you to occupy it."

This was spoken not in a tone of invitation, but of command. Coral was more surprised than ever. Something was surely in the wind.

"Very well, general. Since you insist upon my remaining I will do so. But the president will be in his office early in the morning. That means that his secretary must be there early also."

"In that case you had better go to bed early. I will show you to your room. If I permit you to rejoin Inez, there is no telling when you will tear yourself away from her."

"May I ask, general, if there is any change in you and Senorita Munoz as to my union with Inez?"

"There is not."

"Very well. I will retire to my room now."

The general led the way to the second floor, all the rooms of which opened on a court. Throwing open the door to one of these rooms, the general set the candle he held on the bureau and, bidding his guest good night, left him.

Coral was puzzled. The general had assured him that his devotion to Inez had nothing to do with the manner of his reception. What, then, could it mean? He was at a loss to form any theory. He went to bed, but could not sleep for thinking of a solution. He expected to arise at 5 o'clock and ride to the city before 8. At 10 o'clock he heard the sound of a horse's hoofs on the road. They grew more distinct, approaching the house, and stopped before it. Coral heard what sounded like the clank of a saber.

In ten minutes the corner rode away, but within half an hour another horseman came and went as the other had done. Up to midnight five or six persons visited the house. Coral heard them come and go, but nothing more. Something surely was brewing. He began to get sleepy, but preferred not to go to sleep. To prevent his doing so he left his bed and sat by a window. The room was chilly, and he put on some of his clothing.

On a rise in the ground several miles distant he saw a light. It was a bonfire. On another summit was another. He counted five of these fires within view. What did they mean?

A faint light appeared in the east. A few minutes later Coral saw a flash through the keyhole of his door. Going to the door, he opened it just far enough to look out. He saw Inez with a candle in her hand at the foot of a staircase leading up to a square tower built at the corner of the house. He had often been up there and knew that there was a ladder in it giving access to the roof.

Inez ascended the stairs. Coral emerged from his room, ran around the court and followed her, overtaking her in the room that constituted the tower. So stealthily did he move that she did not know of his presence till she stood at the foot of the ladder leading to the roof, when she felt herself clasped by a pair of arms. Turning her head, she saw her lover.

"What are you going to do?" he asked in a whisper.

He partly unlaced her, and her head sank upon his breast.

"How unfortunate!"

"What is unfortunate?"

"Your coming at this time."

"Inez," he said sternly, "something is wrong. You are doing the work of General Munoz. Choose now between him and me, once and for ever."

"I am obliged to choose you. I cannot do what he requires of me without your permission, and when you know my intention you will prevent me."

Then followed a confession which amazed Coral more than his frigid reception, but explained it. General Munoz was at the head of troops who were to begin their march to the capital at dawn to assassinate the president and seize the government. The insurgents were scattered. Each group had kindled a fire as a signal that it was ready and waiting. General Munoz had gone to a point of rendezvous to take command. He had exacted a promise from Inez that she would at dawn show a light on the tower of his residence as a signal for the different bodies to converge at the point where they would find him.

Having received the confession, Coral beheld himself what to do.

"Inez," he said presently, "you have kept your word with your benefactor against your lover, so far as you are able. I will not permit you to give the signal. Promise me that you will go to your room and remain there, taking no further part in this matter. I will set out at once for the capital and warn the president. Do as I say, and I promise you that no action shall be taken against General Munoz. Without the signal the revolution will collapse. The president will ignore it."

This proposition accorded with Inez's desires. She had been bitterly opposed to a movement which, having been concocted in the house where she lived, she was necessarily cognizant of. If successful it would make a breach between her and her lover; if it failed General Munoz would suffer death. She made the promise.

"But you will not get through," she added. "If the roads leading to the capital are picketed, the guards being instructed to pass no one without the countersign."

"What is the countersign?"

"She hesitated for a moment, then said, 'Since the revolution cannot be carried out perhaps it is better that you should have it.' Then she whispered it in his ear."

"Goodby, sweetheart," he said. "You have acted for the best. The attempt would have failed, and General Munoz would have suffered death."

Descending to the yard, he went to the stable, saddled his horse and was soon flying over the road to the city. He was often stopped; but, having the countersign, he was not long delayed. He now understood why the general had kept him overnight. He knew that Coral would not get through. The signal not having been given, the troops dispersed at sunrise and the general returned to his home, wondering why his plan had gone awry, for he trusted Inez implicitly. She told him her story, and he admitted that he had acted for the best.

Instead of being shot as a traitor, General Munoz was given a fat office, and he and the president shook hands at the wedding of Manuel Coral and Inez Garcia.

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—Mrs. LaForrest Lincoln of 36 Maple street is visiting her son, LaForrest Lincoln who resides in Ludlow.

—Reginald Bates of 150 Middle street attended a High school reception and dance given by the Webster High school last Friday night at Webster, as the guest of Stewart Wallace, who is a graduate of that school.

—Cards were received in town this week from Mrs. Florence Cutler, who is spending part of the winter in New York.

—Parker L. Tirrell, 123 High street, credit man of the firm of Marden, Orth & Hastings of Boston, has been transferred to the New York office of that firm at 61 Broadway, N. Y., and left Tuesday to take up his duties there. His family will follow later.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Totman, accompanied by their daughters, Mrs. Burgess Spinney and Mrs. Harry Torrey and a friend, Miss Price, left Monday for New York. Mr. Totman is to attend a horse sale at Madison Square Gardens, where one of his horses is to be sold, the ladies of the party taking in the sights of the city, meanwhile.

—The Fairmount cemetery circle meets this (Friday) afternoon with Mrs. B. S. Lovell of Station avenue.

—Mrs. Robert Schofield is ill at her home on Commercial street.

—James C. Nolan of Central square is reported as having recovered to a large degree from the shock he sustained recently.

—A large gathering attended the Moose dance in Moose hall last Thursday night. The Moose orchestra furnished music.

Wants, For Sale, To Let, Etc.
Four lines or less under this head, 25 cents each insertion; each extra line 10c. Count 8 words to a line. No ads. accepted in this department unless accompanied by the cash.

ATTENTION—Is called to the Real Estate ad of Henry B. Vinton, found on page 8. "Stop—Listen—Look." Don't miss it. 51-52

BOYS WANTED—At Bradley fertilizer works, Port Point. 50-51

FOR SALE—A Williams No. 2 typewriter, in good condition. A bargain for \$5. F. B. Carroll, South Weymouth. 51-52

FOR SALE—A good family cow, Guernsey, gives good rich milk, price \$40.00. Apply to Solomon Ford, 352 Bridge St., North Weymouth, Mass. 51-53

FOR SALE—Seventy-two Cyphers Incubator and Oat Sprouter. Apply at 47 Union Ave., East Weymouth. 51-54

FOR SALE—3 White Wyandotte cockerels, 1 real strain, well matured, vigorous birds. Will make excellent breeders. May be seen at 27 Front St., Weymouth. A. Warren Clapp. 49-51

FOR SALE—A Square Piano, formerly used at the Town Hall, will be sold by the Selectmen of Weymouth. Any member of the board is authorized to sell the piano for \$50 or to receive proposals for the same. The piano may be seen at the warehouses of the late Albert Wilder. By order of the Selectmen. 49-51

LOST—Between the junction of Madison and Broad Streets and Commercial square a small pocketbook containing a sum of money. Finder please address "J," box 67, East Weymouth Post-office. 51-55

TO LET—On Elm Knoll road, East Braintree, 2 new cottage houses, just completed. All modern conveniences, desirable location, 4 minutes to two railroad stations, few steps to street cars. Apply at 129 Commercial street, East Braintree, or at Kemp's Drug Store, Washington square, Weymouth. 41-56

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TO LET—2 tenements in East Weymouth. Apply to Charles Harrington, East Weymouth. 39-58

WANTED—Mother's helper for night housework and care of children. Apply or write 21 Bartlett St., N. Weymouth. 21-59

WANTED—Carpentering, Paperhanging and Inside Painting. Latest design in wall paper. All orders will receive prompt attention. W. E. MacFann, 92 Cedar Street, East Weymouth, Mass. 49-60

WANTED—People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column. 51-61

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John J. Rhodes was in charge. Between dances songs and humorous readings were enjoyed.

—At her home, 99 Grant street, Mrs. Delight Stoddard celebrated her 85th birthday on Monday. Many relatives and friends called during the day and left tokens of their regards. Mrs. Stoddard's health is such that no elaborate celebration was held.

—A blue heron, evidently suffering from exposure, was captured by Lawrence Schofield and Charles Donbar near Jackson square Sunday. The bird was taken to the police station and put in the basement, fed, and word sent to the Franklin Zoo to see if it came from there. The management of the zoo at that place did not know any thing about it, but said they would take it if it was sent to them. Wednesday the bird was shipped to that place.

—The regular meeting of Steadfast Rebekah Lodge Monday evening, March 6. Candidates will receive the Rebekah degree. Supper served at 6:30. Members please bring pastry.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wesley Colcord of 17 Whitman street, Dorchester, formerly of this town, have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Colcord and daughter, Inez of Searsport, Maine. Lincoln Colcord spoke at the Bathors Club Friday and the Twentieth Century Club Luncheon Saturday. He is the author of "Vision of War," the recent poem which has received such wide and favorable comment in this country and abroad.

—The Fairmount Cemetery Circle meets next week with Mrs. Lucinda Totman on Friday, March 10 at 2:30 p. m.

—Mrs. Ida Burrell of Brockton is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. K. Cushing of 12 Hill street.

—Miss Florence M. Lincoln of Maple street is on a week's vacation from her duties as a teacher in the public schools of North Attleboro.

—Twenty-five years ago last Saturday William E. Dizer and Miss Laura A. Hayes were married by Rev. Wesley L. Smith, at that time pastor of the Baptist church, Weymouth. Mr. and Mrs. Dizer have always made East Weymouth their home.

—Mrs. Samuel N. Bates of Broad street is improving from her recent illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Tyler of Milford are spending a few days with Mrs. Tyler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Keene of Fairmount avenue.

—Strong's shoe factory did not run on Tuesday out of respect for the owner, George Strong whose wife was buried on that day.

—The Misses Pauline and Ruth Hove and Warren Hove of Holbrook spent the week end with their cousin, Mrs. Henry C. Cottell of Broad street.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes
The topic for the Epworth League meeting on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock is "Others, as a Watchword for Christians." Leader, Miss Olive D. Sylvester.

Congregational Church Notes
Holy Communion will be observed at the morning worship on Sunday.

Asa B. Pratt is scheduled to lead the Junior C. E. meeting Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

Tonight the Friendship class holds a meeting at the parsonage.

Sunday night at 6 o'clock the Christian Endeavor Society will hold its consecration meeting. Every member must be present. Topic, "The Consecration of Strength."

The annual meeting of the society was held in the chapel last night.

—The annual meeting of the East Weymouth Cemetery association was held at the Savings bank building Wednesday evening, but owing to the inability of John A. Raymond, clerk and treasurer and several other officers to be present the meeting adjourned to meet at the same place on Wednesday evening, the 15th.

—J. Otis Bates of 41 Charles street has been under the care of a physician the past week, suffering from a bad throat trouble.

—Francis T. White, formerly of East Weymouth but now residing in Wollaston, was in town Wednesday, visiting friends.

—At the Clapp Memorial Association building next Wednesday evening, March 8, Archie Jeannette and John Carlson, old rivals on the mat game, will try conclusions once more. The bout should alone be worth the price of admission. Ladies may attend and there will be several preliminary bouts between good men.

WEYMOUTH SAVINGS BANK
The Annual Meeting of the Weymouth Savings Bank Corporation will be held at its Banking Rooms on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916
at 7:30 o'clock, P. M. for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Trustees will be held on the same day at the close of the annual meeting.

JOHN P. HUNT, Clerk.
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WEYMOUTH AND EAST BRAINTREE

—Paramount pictures, the best ever, at Bates' Opera House, Wednesday and Saturday evenings.—Adv't.

—Long's Whist club will hold the first party of the March series in Long's hall, Braintree on Friday evening, March 3. An exhibition will be given of the souvenirs to be presented at these parties, among which will be brass bed outfits, chairs, parlor desks, couch hammocks, cut glass, wool blankets, rugs, silverware and other useful and expensive articles.—Adv.

—Geo. P. Smith, Jr., superintendent of the Old Colony Gas Company, left Thursday, February 24th, for Greenville, Pa., on a business trip for the E. M. Farnsworth Company of Boston.

—Mrs. Margaret R. Fitzgerald tendered her nephew, Oman J. Davenport, a party at her home, 39 Summitt street, Saturday evening, he having attained his majority on that day. Fifty friends from Rockland, Abington, Quincy, Hingham, Braintree and the Weymouths attended. There were vocal selections by Miss Alice Trask, Charles O'Brien and Edward Maloney. Games were played a dance and lunch followed and an orchestra furnished music. Among the many handsome gifts received by Mr. Davenport was a diamond ring from his aunt and a fountain pen from the members of the Elmira Social club.

—A number of employees from the Old Colony Gas Company attended a lecture by Prof. Metcalf of Tufts college on "The Human Factor in the Gas Business," on Friday evening, February 25th, at the Boston City club. This meeting was held by the New England section of the National Commercial Gas association.

—The regular Sunday night Forum meeting of the Community service union was held in the First Baptist church last Sunday. Rev. Chester J. Underhill, pastor of the church presided and led the exercises. An orchestra composed of local talent provided music. An address on the subject "Unity and Community" was delivered by Prof. Clarence R. Skinner of Tufts college.

—Miss Winifred Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith of 25 Phillips street, although 20 years old, celebrated her 4th birthday at her home Tuesday evening by entertaining a party of friends. There was a program of vocal and instrumental music and a lunch was served. Miss Smith received a number of handsome gifts. Miss Smith was born Feb. 29, 1896 and as the year 1900 was not a leap year she has had but four birthdays.

—George F. Hastings died Saturday at his home, 102 Washington street, after a long illness, aged 36. He is survived by his widow. The funeral took place Monday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. Chester J. Underhill, pastor of the Baptist church. Interment was at Village cemetery.

—Mrs. Ellen Linton, a former resident at present a teacher in the public schools at Falmouth, has been in town visiting friends.

—Miss Elsie Pray, a teacher in the Falmouth schools, has been spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Pray.

—Frederick Leavitt, father of Frank R. Leavitt of Front street, died at his home in Somerville last Saturday.

—Wallace G. Macgregor, who has been here on a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. May Macgregor of Liberty street has returned to his home in Berkeley, Cal.

—D. F. Condrick of the Old Colony Gas Company attended a lecture on "Elements of Economics as applied to the Human Interpretation of Industry" by Prof. H. C. Metcalf of Tufts college, at the Boston Public Library, Wednesday evening. At this time Mr. Condrick enrolled as a student of this course which meets every Wednesday evening.

—Favorable reports are received from John Kelley, who has been confined to his home for the past two weeks by illness.

—Mrs. Robert Lockyear of Allston has been spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Paul Raasch of Shaw street.

—The Puritana Club, was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. Herbert Walsh, 65 Webb street on Tuesday night. Whist was played at five tables.

—Mrs. Cora Appleyard, wife of Enoch Appleyard died at her home, 117 Shaw street, Monday, aged 67. She had resided in East Braintree for many years. The funeral took place from her late residence Wednesday afternoon, Rev. A. P. Watson, pastor of the Union Congregation church conducted the service. The body was taken to Gloucester for burial in the family lot.

—Miss Jessie Alexander has resigned as clerk at the office of A. J. Richards & Son and gone to Philadelphia, Pa., where she has a position. Miss Eldridge of McRose succeeds her at A. J. Richards & Sons.

—Mrs. Sarah Hodgden, aged 87, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Edward I. Martin, 357 Commercial street, Wednesday.

—George A. Jordan, a former resident of this town and brother of Edward T. Jordan died in a Boston hospital Tuesday, aged 71.

—Stephen Gibson has been spending a few days with his son in Worcester.

—Unity Circle of King's Daughters met with Mrs. G. R. Kemp Tuesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Charles Bragdon has returned to her home in New York after a visit of

several months with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Condrick of Broad street. Mrs. Condrick underwent an operation some weeks ago and is now almost wholly recovered.

—Judge James H. Flint of Norfolk County Probate Court, presided over the session at the Suffolk County Probate Court at Boston yesterday.

—As next Wednesday March 8th will be Ash Wednesday or the beginning of Lent, there will be service in Trinity Episcopal church Weymouth at 7:30 P. M.

Union Church Notes.
Morning worship at 10:30. Subject of the sermon will be "The Great Amen." Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock.

Communion service will be Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Next Monday morning at the Minister's meeting at Pilgrim hall Chaplain Madison Edwards, of the Sailor's Bethel at Vineyard Haven, will address the meeting. The churches are invited to send two delegates but anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

There will be an open meeting of the Friendly Aid Ass'n in Hollis School hall, Monday evening, at 7:45. Dr. Merrill E. Champion will be the speaker of the evening. He will speak on "The Public Health Nurse" illustrated by stereopticon.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. During Lent these services will follow a study of the parables of Christ. Subject: "God's Desire for Man."

A delegation of boys from our Sunday school are expecting to attend the Older Boy's Conference at Rockland this week.

Trinity Church Notes.
"The Editor of the Holy Bible," will be the subject of Rev. William Hyde's sermon at Trinity church next Sunday morning. In the evening he will speak on "Is This the War of Arougadden?"

LOVELL'S CORNER
—Little Orville Devine is ill with pneumonia.

—James H. Thompson of Indiana, who has been spending the winter with his son, Rev. Karl Thompson, returned to his home Wednesday. Mrs. Karl Thompson and daughter accompanied him.

—Mrs. Stephen French has been confined to the house by an attack of the grippe.

—Misses Dorothy and Marjorie Reap spent the week end with relatives in West Bridgewater.

—Althea and Allegra Hanniford are improving from an attack of pneumonia.

—The Ladies' Aid held their regular monthly business meeting in the vestry Wednesday evening.

—Miss Florence Devine gave a leap year party to a number of her friends Saturday evening at her home.

—The official board meeting was to have been held last Friday night, but was held this evening after the prayer meeting.

—Miss Ellen Owen, who has been spending the past month with her sister Mrs. Thomas Roberts, returned to her home last Friday.

—Miss Dorothea Tirrell is kept from school from by an abscess in her throat.

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MERCHANTS' WEEK.

Committee Organized and Program Being Developed. Band Concerts, Lectures, "White Way," To Be Features.

April 17 to 22 inclusive. Merchants of Weymouth Landing and East Braintree remember these dates—they mean Merchants' Week—your week, when you should do many times the business that you have done for many weeks.

Merchants' Week in town promises to be one of the best celebrations in this section. A meeting of several of the merchants was held last week and a committee comprising G. R. Kempf, C. D. Bond, E. P. White, Frank Bryant, John Finn, Harry South, E. W. Hunt, Chester Rogers, John Whalen, A. B. Austin and Norton F. Pratt, was selected to have charge of the publicity and general development of the week's program.

The committee has met, and from all indications a fine program of lectures, band concerts, etc., will be given.

The old Vaughan building in Washington Square will be utilized for exhibition purposes and it is practically assured that all the space will be filled long before the week arrives.

Lectures in connection with the Old Colony Gas Co's. Gas Week, which comes

the same week, will be given, several band concerts will take place in the square, and other plans for the entertainment of the public are under consideration.

The committee will be extremely pleased to receive suggestions in regard to advertising and booming the Merchants' Week. Donations from the merchants are coming in well and many more are expected from the eighty odd business men in the vicinity of Lincoln and Washington Squares.

A feature of the week will be the "White Way," an idea well carried out in other towns and which promises to be a success in this town with the co-operation of the Gas Company who will furnish lights and arrange the setting in front of the many buildings in the immediate vicinity of Washington Square and Pythian Hall, where all lectures will probably take place. The committee asks that all the merchants in Weymouth Landing take hold of Merchants' Week and help to make it a grand success. Remember the dates, April 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22. It is your week, make it a big one in every way.

WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDERS.

News of The Lodges About Town.

L. O. O. M.

At the regular meeting in Moose hall on Tuesday night, the officers for the ensuing year were nominated.

James T. Griffin, supreme council of L. O. O. M. addressed the meeting.

Arthur W. Hayden, national director of New England, was also present and addressed the meeting.

The charter of the lodge will be open April 1 for 90 days.

I. O. O. F.

A party from Wilsey lodge I. O. O. F., "Jitneyed" into King Solomon lodge, Roxbury on Tuesday evening to witness degree work.

Odd Fellows from Brockton, Campello, Whitman, Hingham and the Weymouths were the special guests of Crescent lodge in Odd Fellows hall, East Weymouth, last Thursday night. A delegation of 60 from Electric lodge and Campello lodges with Andrew S. Johnston, D. D. G. M. and suite were special guests. The degree staff of Crescent lodge, George D. Bagley, degree master, exemplified the work of the "Friendship" degree upon a class of candidates.

L. M. C.

Ladies M. L. C. held a whist party at Moose hall on Monday night. Mrs. Clayton Merchant won first prize and Mrs. Frank Manuel the booty.

At the meeting on Wednesday evening nomination of officers took place. A lunch was served.

The circle will meet next Wednesday afternoon in Moose hall, March 15. In the evening the election of officers will take place.

GRANGE ITEMS.

Tuesday evening, March 7, will be a night in history of South Weymouth Grange.

With the Master, Alston A. Shaw, presiding and a few visitors from Braintree grange present, some very interesting and instructive remarks were being given by one of our Massachusetts State Grange deputies when bedlam seemed to have broken loose in the vicinity of Columbian square. All this was caused by another two dozen members of Braintree grange who had come in a sleighing party.

After considerable speech making and remarks by some of the visiting officers and members, the "Traveling Gavel" which has been going the circuit of the Mayflower Pomona granges, was given to the care of the Master of South Weymouth grange. This was the cause of the surprise party which was indeed a real surprise.

A musical entertainment was furnished by the visitors, after which they passed around ice cream and cake which they had brought with them. A general good time was in progress to a late hour and Clapp's hall was filled with the spirit of true grange fellowship and happiness which is inductive to increased efforts and understanding of the good work which a live grange of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry can do in a community.

"Art" of the Healer.

All doctors do not practice the faith cure, though most of them heal by touch. Even doctors have to live somehow.—Exchange.

TOWN BUSINESS.

Selectmen's Business and Other Departments of Work and Expenditures.

Police Notes.

Officer Fitzgerald took a state jumper to the State Farm at Bridgewater last Friday.

Tuesday the police had a man in court at Quincy for intoxication and the prisoner paid a fine of \$15.

Last week Chief Pratt attended the regular monthly meeting of the Chief's Club of Massachusetts held at the American House at Boston.

Circulars describing men wanted in Montreal and New York for embezzlement were received at headquarters this week.

SPORTING NOTES.

From all reports the Brockton Y. M. C. A. five will not play the North Abington basketball quintet, claiming that Merrill, who plays with the Abington five, is a professional. Homer Arnold, the wellknown Abington sportsman, and one of the best too, is of the opinion that the Shoe City boys are afraid of the Abington gym. Guess Homer is right. We would like to see the team that Homer was afraid to tackle, however.

On the alleys of the Norfolk Club last Thursday night in the Boston pin tournament for the championship of South Weymouth, Team 6, Marshall Abbott, captain, won from Team 2, Frank Loud, captain, taking two out of three strings with a total of 1341 to 1336. Team 6 got three points, and Team 2 one point. Frank Loud led with a single string of 109 and a three-string total of 223.

In the Woman's League, candlepins on the alleys of the Clapp Memorial Building last Thursday night, Team 3, Mrs. Luella Farrar, captain, won from Team 4, Miss Nellie Looney, captain, taking three strings with a total of 724 to 604. Team 3 got all the points. Mrs. Luella Farrar led with a single string of 104 and a three-string total of 272. In the second game Team 2, Mrs. Amy Severance, captain, won from Team 1, Miss Alice Howe, captain, taking two out of three strings with a total of 672 to 641. Miss Alice Howe led with a single string of 97 and a three-string total of 262. Team 3 got three points and Team 1 got one point.

On the alleys of the Clapp Memorial Association last Saturday night, the home boys entertained the North Abington Y. M. C. A. team of bowlers. The home team composed of Arthur Cunningham, L. W. Bates, L. H. Godin, F. W. Preston and Fred Drinkwater, defeated the visitors 3 points to 1. The Abington team was composed of the following: Arnold, Wheeler, Brown, Chessman and Evans. Brown was high man for the visitors with a single of 103 and a total of 287.

Arthur Cunningham was high man on the home team with a single of 114 and a total of 313. A return match with the Abington team will be rolled on the Abington alleys next Wednesday. Ostreich pins, the new style pin, will be used at that time. After the match the visitors were entertained and a lunch was served.

Eddie Condrick and the Weymouth High ball players are anxious for the snow to depart and to have the weatherman hand out a little warm weather. Eddie says the whip is getting rusty and needs a good work out. Prospects at the High school this year look pretty good at this stage of the "doping."

Arthur Cunningham is hitting the pins in the C. M. A. league. Every time he bowls in a match he lands the high single and 3 string total. Love of the sport makes Mr. C. the star he is, for he sure does love to pile up the strikes and spares.

What has become of the hockey teams in town? Is the ice covered over, or is it too cold, or what's the trouble?

At the Clapp Memorial gym the home athletic team will compete with the Roxbury Municipal gym team, Friday March 10 at 8 p. m.

The Clapp Memorial Junior Boys basketball team will play North Abington Y. M. C. A. Jr. team at the home gym on Saturday morning March 11.

Daily Thought.

Be joyful or sorrowful, the heart needs a second heart. Joy shared is joy doubled; pain shared is pain divided.—Ruckert.

FINISH IN DAY.

1916 Town Meeting Consumes Ten Hours, Ending at 9.05 Monday Evening After Lively Day. South Weymouth School Question Much Discussed.

With over three hundred of the voters of the town present, the balcony well filled with the fair sex, a change in the office of moderator and a five hour debate on one article, the annual March Town Meeting of Weymouth, began in Fogg's Opera South Weymouth, last Monday.

Foreman Walter Howley had special cars out to convey the crowd to the hall, and at nine fifteen A. M. when Clerk John A. Raymond, serving his thirty-fourth year as clerk of the Town Meeting, began to read the warrant of seventy-seven articles, the hall was well filled with voters, out to get what they wanted and yet to keep the tax rate down to reasonable proportions.

The first article, No. 1, for the first time for many a year, developed considerable interest, when it became known that there was some organized opposition to the veteran Louis A. Cook, for moderator. Judge Cook has been moderator of our town meetings for lo—these twenty-five years, and a fight on this question at the outset got the crowd warmed up hours earlier than in any previous year.

Frank Clapp of Weymouth Landing started the fireworks of which he is quite familiar, although of another kind, by moving that the Clerk cast one ballot for Hon. George L. Barnes of South Weymouth, for moderator of the meeting. Judge Cook addressed the audience, stating that in past years he had attempted at all times to give his best services to the Town Meetings in an impartial manner, and desiring to again receive the honor of leading the annual gathering, asked for a vote to the house on the question. The vote was taken and Ex-Senator Barnes won 86 to 46.

Edward H. Kavanagh of Ward 1 spoke of Judge Cook's past service as did Mr. Barnes and a vote of appreciation was extended to Judge Cook for his past efforts at the Town Meetings.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers other than those elected by ballot, viz: Public Weighers, Surveyors of Wood, Lumber, and Bark, two or more Fence Viewers, two or more Field Drivers, one Pound Keeper and a Planning Board.

A committee was appointed by the Moderator to bring in a list of these officers after the noon recess, to be voted upon by the Town. A list of these officers appears later in this story.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of the several boards of town officers and of any committee appointed at any former meeting, and to choose any committees the town may think proper.

Article 67 was taken up with this article.

All reports were accepted, the one on by-laws receiving some little discussion.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Voted so to do in short order.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, on or after January 1, 1917, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the year 1917.

Voted so to do.

Article 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for a reserve fund.

Voted to appropriate the Corporation tax for this article.

Article 7. To see if the town will designate the First National Bank of South Weymouth or Weymouth Trust Company, the First National Bank of Boston and the National Shawmut Bank of Boston as legal depositories for the funds of the town, and the First National Safe Deposit Company of Boston, Massachusetts, a legal depository for the securities of the town.

Voted to carry out details of article.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of public schools and for the transportation of pupils to and from school.

This article was in for some little discussion, the transportation question receiving the burden of the talk. Superintendent Pearson was not in favor of transportation for the pupils, declaring it was an extra burden on the school department. Charles Lovell of Lovell's Corner and George Cuniff, as well as others spoke on this article and it was finally passed with an appropriation of \$86,000, this amount to include transporting the pupils as in former years and \$2000 for the repair of the James Humphrey School which was damaged by fire a few weeks ago.

Article 9. On petition: To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for purchasing a site for a new schoolhouse in South Weymouth.

This article was destined to be the feature article of the entire day, and many and varied were the speeches, addresses and just "plain talks" on this matter, which has had the south part of the town alive with much excitement for many weeks.

The appropriation recommended that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$6400 for the purchase of the Fogg lot located in Columbian Square, and of this amount borrow \$6,000. Mel Cate had hardly got seated from reading the recommendation, when Dr. Greeley was on the floor and asked that the subject of playgrounds come up with this article also.

Judge Wentworth was recognized and spoke in favor of the James T. Fogg lot on Main Street. The Judge said that the lot, or rather 7 1-2 acres of the lot could be purchased for \$5500, its assessed value. Others spoke on the two lots and as it was now about 12 o'clock the meeting was adjourned until one o'clock, when there promised to be some excitement over the choice of the lots.

With recess declared, the South Weymouthites hustled to their homes for a quick lunch, while those from East and North Weymouth, and Weymouth Landing gathered at Reynolds' W. R. C. tables in the Union church vestry or around the tables of the lunch rooms in the vicinity of the square, and talked over the doings of the morning session and what was in store for the rest of the day.

Many journeyed to the Fogg and Tirrell lots, to view for themselves the land in question, and at one o'clock when the gathering again was called to order, the merits of the two lots were much more fixed in the minds of a majority of the voters.

After a good lunch Dr. Greeley again felt like talking, and spoke on the drainage of the Fogg lot. After a little more discussion Judge Wentworth moved that the James Tirrell lot be purchased and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5500 for the purchase of the same, \$5000 to be raised by a series of notes.

More debate, Melville Cate citing laws regarding the purchasing of this lot and Warren Simpson talking on land involved and the drainage. About this time, Ed. O'Brien electrified the crowd with his first real speech of the day and Daniel Hart spoke on taking the Fogg lot, and gave considerable information in regard to that lot.

Drainage got another inning when L. A. Cook Jr., spoke and then Letter-Carrier Arthur Gerstley, who was on the South Weymouth Improvement Committee to investigate and pick out the most suitable lot, gave several figures in regard to the number of pupils accommodated and why the Fogg lot would prove the more central. He also spoke of the better facilities accessible to this lot.

Right here, the Moderator received a call from the rear part of the hall for not recognizing a gentleman who had attempted to get the floor several times. Mr. Barnes good naturedly acknowledged the "point of order," and shortly recognized the gentlemen in question, who was Mr. Hastings. Arthur Gerstley spoke feelingly in favor of the Fogg lot, but got his words mixed at the conclusion, by saying that he would "guarantee one or two deaths" on the state road near the Tirrell lot if the school was put on that lot. This "guarantee" caused

a general laugh throughout the house. A. S. Marsh spoke in favor of the Fogg lot and Arthur Gerstley, Walter L. Bates and Mr. Hastings also spoke.

M. Sheehy next scored with a favorable plea for the lot next to Judge Cook's estate on Union street and then Judge Cook talked in favor of the Quincy Reed lot.

M. E. Hawes was getting sick of so much debate and in one of his characteristic short, right to the point speeches, he asked the voters to "get a move on" and moved that the previous question be taken up. The motion was carried and discussion was stopped temporarily. The vote on Mr. Wentworth's motion was now taken and resulted in the Tirrell lot being selected 146 to 92.

The next half hour was taken up in discussing points of law regarding the purchase of the lot and the "taking by eminent domain" of the land by the Town.

After considerable debate on many angles of the question Selectman Henry Hanley raised a laugh by asking the Moderator if "this was South Weymouth Day or Town Meeting Day." A Ward 5 came to time with the reply that "it was the first day that South Weymouth had had for 100 years," and the amusement was curbed by the Moderator.

After more discussion Judge Wentworth's first motion was put and it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5500 for the purchase of seven and one-half acres of the Tirrell lot. The motion, which needed a two-thirds vote to prevail was carried 171 to 44.

Judge Wentworth next moved that Town Counsel A. P. Worthen be authorized to carry out needed legislation to rightly secure the purchase of the lot. The motion prevailed.

At this time the matter of reducing the Board of Selectmen from five to three members etc. which had been postponed from the morning session, was indefinitely postponed.

Article 10. On petition: To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the building of a new schoolhouse in South Weymouth.

It was voted, with no discussion, to raise and appropriate \$56,000 for a not less than ten room building, of this amount borrow \$55,000. The vote on this was Yes, 220; No, 3.

In regard to the building of the new Ward 5 schoolhouse, Melville Cate moved that a committee consisting of Messrs. R. H. Whiting, F. L. Alden, Dr. C. P. Whittle, T. V. Nash and F. E. Loud be appointed to supervise building of the new structure.

Lots of "free for all" discussion arose on this motion with Mr. O'Brien taking a prominent part. M. E. Hawes next moved as a substitute motion that the following committee be appointed to serve as building committee, augmented by a carpenter and a plumber: Theron L. Tirrell, Prince H. Tirrell, Russell H. Whiting, Almon B. Raymond and Frank E. Loud. This motion prevailed with the following additions Sherman P. Troy, H. H. Hale and Charles Marble.

Mr. Cate got the floor and explained why the appropriation committee selected the committee he read and Prince Tirrell replied to Cate's statement that the school committee did not want to have the responsibility of the new building.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate towards the sinking fund for the payment at maturity of the James Humphrey Schoolhouse bonds. The sum of \$1900 was voted.

Article 12. In regard to playgrounds came next. Articles 13, 14 and 15 were taken up with this article, as they all pertained to the same subject. \$1000 was appropriated, \$450 of this to be spent on Webb Park.

Article 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Fire Department.

W. W. Pratt moved that Article 18 be taken up with this article and thereby paved the way for a new auto fire truck in Ward three. W. H. Bicknell moved the appropriation of \$4,500 for the purchase of the truck.

Ed. O'Brien gave words of praise for the "baby carriage," and Charles J. McMorro made his maiden speech of the day calling for a greater system of efficiency in the Fire Department and made an appeal for an as-

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Town Officers of Weymouth and the Post Office Address.

TOWN CLERK
John A. Raymond, East Weymouth.

TOWN TREASURER
John H. Stetson, South Weymouth.

SELECTMEN
Edward W. Hunt, Chairman, Weymouth.
Bradford Hawes, Secretary, East Weymouth.
George L. Newton, North Weymouth.
Henry E. Hanley, East Weymouth.
Ralph F. Burrell, South Weymouth.

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Edward W. Hunt, Chairman, Weymouth.
Bradford Hawes, Secretary, East Weymouth.
George L. Newton, North Weymouth.
Henry E. Hanley, East Weymouth.
Ralph F. Burrell, South Weymouth.

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John F. Dow, Chairman, Weymouth.
Frank H. Torrey, Clerk, North Weymouth.
Leavitt W. Bates, East Weymouth.
Charles H. Clapp, South Weymouth.
Lewis W. Callahan, South Weymouth.

Regular meeting of Board first Wednesday evening of each month at Town Office Savings Bank building, East Weymouth.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Clarence P. Whittle, Chairman, Weymouth.
Theron L. Tirrell, Secretary, South Weymouth.
E. E. Leonard, East Weymouth.
Arthur H. Alden, North Weymouth.
Prince H. Tirrell, South Weymouth.
Sarah S. Howe, South Weymouth.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
Parker T. Pearson, East Weymouth. At close of school on Monday will be at the Athers building; Tuesday at Jefferson; Wednesday at Howe; Thursday at Hunt.

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George E. Bicknell, Clerk, Weymouth.
Robert S. Hoffman, East Weymouth.
John H. Stetson, South Weymouth.
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Fred L. Doucette, East Weymouth.
John S. Williams, Weymouth.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS
John L. Maynard, East Weymouth.

TAX COLLECTOR
Winslow M. Tirrell, East Weymouth.

FIRE ENGINEERS
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J. Q. Hunt, Clerk, East Weymouth.
M. O'Dowd, South Weymouth.
Hiram Nadel, North Weymouth.
Wallace H. Bicknell, Weymouth.

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Winslow M. Tirrell, East Weymouth.
Walter W. Pratt, East Weymouth.
Matthew O'Dowd, South Weymouth.
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William F. Hathaway, Weymouth.
James H. Flint, Weymouth.
William A. Drake, North Weymouth.
Frederick T. Hunt, East Weymouth.
Louis A. Cook, South Weymouth.
Joseph E. Gardner, South Weymouth.

TREE WARDEN
Charles L. Merritt, South Weymouth.

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Willard F. Hall, East Weymouth.
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Frank N. Blanchard, East Weymouth.

PARK COMMISSIONER
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Louis A. Cook, South Weymouth.
W. E. Bean, North Weymouth.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
Frank D. Sherman, Weymouth.

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT
(From Seventh Norfolk District.)
Kenneth L. Nash, South Weymouth, Mass.

SENATOR
Louis F. R. Langelier of Quincy.

County Officers.
OFFICES AT DEDHAM.
Judge of Probate and Insolvency, James H. Flint of Weymouth.
Register of Probate and Insolvency, J. Raphael McCoolle.
Assistant Register, Thomas V. Nash, of South Weymouth.
Clerk of Courts, Louis A. Cook of South Weymouth.
Assistant Clerk, Robert B. Worthington.
Second Assistant, Louis A. Cook, Jr., of South Weymouth.
Register of Deeds, John H. Burdakin.
Assistant Register of Deeds, Edward L. Burdakin.
County Treasurer, Henry D. Humphrey.
Sheriff, Samuel H. Capen.
Special Sheriff, Edward E. Wentworth, Cohasset.
County Commissioners, John F. Merrell of Quincy, chairman, and Richard G. of Hyde Park.
Ernest M. Bowker, Brookline. Session every Tuesday at 10 a. m.
Special Commissioners, Fred L. Fisher, of Norwood; Henry A. Whitney, of Bellingham.
District Attorney, Southeast District, Norfolk and Plymouth, Albert F. Barker, of Brockton.
Assistant, D. A. Fred L. Korman, of Hyde Park.
Clerk of Dist. Court, (East Norfolk), Lawrence W. Lyons, of Quincy.

Calendar of County Courts.

Superior Judicial Court Jury Sitting, third Tuesday of February.
Superior Court, Civil Sessions—For work with Jury—First Monday of January, first Monday of May, and first Monday of October. For Court work—First Monday of February, first Monday of April, first Monday of September, and first Monday of December.
Superior Court, Criminal Sessions—First Monday of April, first Monday of September, first Monday of December.
Probate Court—At Dedham, on the first and third Wednesdays of every month, except August. At Quincy, on the second Wednesday of every month, except August. At Brookline, on the fourth Wednesday of every month, except August.
County Commissioners' Meetings—Third Tuesday of April; fourth Tuesday of June; fourth Tuesday of September; last Wednesday of December. By adjournment: On Tuesdays, except during August.
District Court of East Norfolk. Jurisdiction Randolph, Braintree Cohasset, Weymouth, Quincy, Haverhill and Milton. Court held at Quincy for criminal business every week day except legal holidays, and for civil business Tuesdays at 9 a. m. Justice, Albert E. Avery, Braintree. Special Justices, E. Granville Pratt, Quincy; Louis A. Cook, Weymouth. Clerk, Lawrence W. Lyons. Asst. James McDonald. Probation Officer, Francis A. Spear. Thayer Street, Quincy. Court Officer and Bail Commissioner, William Marden, 24 Coddington Street, Quincy.

Travel Sketch.

As promised last week we continue the travel trip of Bradford Hawes to the Pacific.

When at Niagara, I saw a statement that the water passing over the falls would fill the space of a cubic mile in a week. The Colorado Canyon occupies a space of about two thousand cubic miles, not including the various side canyons. If we allow that one half this space is occupied by the formations which are still left in it, which would be a large allowance—there still remains a thousand cubic miles of space, which, if the above estimate of the waters of Niagara is correct, would require a thousand weeks' time for that mighty torrent to fill the canyon.

Twenty mountains the size of Mount Washington could be placed in the canyon bed, allowing a base for each of ten miles in diameter, and as many more could be inverted to fill the space to the level of the plateau. As one stands upon the rim and looks out at the numerous well defined strata of limestone through which the canyon has been cut, it seems like looking back on Eternity, or, at least, as near that as the human mind can fathom. These separate strata bear the fossil remains of marine life showing clearly that it was formed beneath the ocean. Then it was slowly lifted up and became the base for soil and organic life and then again sunk for ages beneath the ocean while another strata of sandstone was formed, which in its turn was lifted to form dry land. Beneath these numerous strata the river has cut through the granite and still beneath that, into the trap rock.

After all of this slow process of up-building, began that of cutting out the canyon, which has undoubtedly been done by the action of the water and disintegration by the air. It cannot be doubted that in the ages long past a greater volume of water flowed here than at present.

A party is taken down every day by the Bright Angel Trail to the river. Such a party numbering about twenty was preparing to start on the trip just as we arrived. The descent is made on mules, and though it means a strenuous day's work it is made in safety under the direction of an experienced guide.

As my stay was confined to one day I thought it better to do my exploring along the rim. I took the coach trip of about seven miles down what is known as the Hermit's Rim Road, stopping at several points of interest along the way. At one point where the river was in view I asked the guide its distance from us. He said two miles and it was two hundred feet in width. It looked as though a withy man might jump across it. At a point about two miles farther on there is another view of the river where it runs diagonally away from the rim and is in sight for about three miles of its course.

At one of our stopping places I saw one of the women of the party stand within three feet of the edge of the cliff. I asked the guide if people never went over in taking such foolish chances. He replied, "Yes, one goes over once in a while, but you don't hear much about it." We saw a bird scaling about far below us. It appeared about the size of a swallow. The guide said it was a turkey buzzard. The buzzard has a spread of wings of about six feet. The drive terminates at a sort of stone ravine called the Hermit's Rest, where light refreshments are served with out added cost. The return trip was made without stop and we arrived at the hotel about two o'clock.

They tell you that one cannot realize the depth of the canyon without taking the trip down the trail. I talked with those who had been down and all said this was the case. In the summer it is very hot in the bottom of the canyon and it is not uncommon for some of those making the descent to be overcome by the heat. There is never snow at any considerable depth. Parties are taken down at all seasons of the year.

There is a fascination in watching the changing lights and shades that are constantly taking place with the progress of the sun. The dark shades begin to form in the bottom of the canyon long before the sun sets on the plateau. There is a stone parapet along the rim, in front of the hotel with benches at convenient points of observation.

I seated myself on one of these at about four in the afternoon to watch the great gulf begin to fill with darkness. From the point where I was sitting nearly three miles of the Bright Angel trail is in view, looking no wider than a foot path and running nearly at right angles from the rim at a descending grade. The trail first comes into view around a promontory about a mile from the rim. At least, it was said to be that distance, though it was hard to realize it. About three miles from my point of observation is what is known as the Half Way house, where parties stop for rest and refreshment. This shows only as a dim white patch, about a foot and a half square.

A young man was seated near me with whom I got into conversation. As we were looking down upon the trail in the gathering shades, my companion said, "I can see two men coming up the trail, what looks to be three or four rods from where it goes out of view." I could see nothing moving and told him so. He said, "I can see them all right, but am not sure but that one of these is a woman." I had a pair of field glasses with me which I focused upon the point and saw clearly two men, apparently about four or five inches tall walking up the trail.

I mention these incidents to show the realization of the depth and distance his to grow on one before he can really be-

lieve they are as represented. I watched the gathering shades until they filled about one half the depth and then left reluctantly as it was the dinner hour at the hotel.

I regretted that I could not spend at least another day in this wonderful section, but as my itinerary called for me to leave on the following morning I had to content myself with the thought that one of my long cherished aspirations had been fulfilled. I had seen the Grand Canyon of the Colorado and it was all that I expected.

Affectionately, your brother,
BRADFORD HAWES.

Monday Club.

The Monday club met in Odd Fellows opera house on Mar. 6. A large audience listened to Miss Irene Bewley in her clever interpretation of "The Prince Chap." Miss Bewley, who charmed all her hearers, is a graduate of Maryville college, Tenn., where for three years the Monday club paid a scholarship. Children's day, the next meeting of the club, has been postponed to March 27.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of THEODORE OSGOOD, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

67 MILK ST., ALBERT P. WORTHEN, Executor.
March 1, 1916. 52-2

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

GEORGE C. DREW

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, testate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by said George C. Drew, executor of the will of said deceased, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted; and the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of March, A. D. 1916.

52-2 J. R. McCoolle, Register.

DOGS

Must Be Licensed

On or Before

MARCH 31st

Or the Owners or Keepers Thereof are

Liable to a Fine!

Extract from Chap. 102 of the Revised

Laws of Massachusetts

Sec. 128. The owner or keeper of a dog which is three months old or over, shall annually, on or before the thirty-first day of March, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed for one year from the first day of April following, in the office of the clerk of the city or town in which said dog is kept. The owner or keeper of a licensed dog shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

Sec. 129. The owner or keeper of a dog may at any time have it licensed, until the first day of April following; and a person who becomes the owner or keeper of a dog after the first day of April, which is not duly licensed, and the owner or keeper of a dog not duly licensed which becomes three months old after the thirty-first day of March in any year shall, when it is three months old, cause it to be registered, numbered, described, licensed and collared as provided in the preceding section.

Sec. 130. The fee for every license shall be two dollars for a male dog and five dollars for a female dog, unless a certificate of a registered veterinarian who performed the operation has been filed with the city or town clerk that said female dog has been spayed and has thereby been deprived of the power of propagation, in which case the fee shall be two dollars.

Sec. 131. The owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes, may annually receive a license authorizing him to keep such dogs upon the premises described in the license. If the number of dogs so kept does not exceed five, the fee for such license shall be twenty-five dollars, and if the number of dogs exceeds five, the fee shall be fifty dollars, and no fee shall be required for the dogs of such owner or keeper which are under the age of six months.

Sec. 132. Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of this chapter, shall, except as provided in Section one hundred and thirty-one, forfeit not more than fifteen dollars, which shall be paid to the treasurer of the county in which the dog is kept, but in the county of Suffolk said sum shall be paid to the treasurer of the city or town in which said dog is kept.

Sec. 133. No person shall keep or have in his care or possession any bloodhound, excepting an English bloodhound of pure blood whose pedigree is recorded or would be entitled to record in the English bloodhound herd book, or any dog classed by dog fanciers or breeders as Cuban bloodhound or Siberian bloodhound, whether such dog is in whole or in part of such species, unless such dog is kept solely for exhibition. In such case he shall at all times be kept securely enclosed or chained, and shall not be allowed at large even though in charge of a keeper, unless properly and securely muzzled.

Chap. 102, Sec. 1, Acts of 1904.

Sec. 139. Whoever keeps a dog described in the preceding section in violation of the provisions thereof shall forfeit fifty dollars. Ten dollars of which shall be paid to the complainant and forty dollars to the treasurer of the county in which said dog is kept, and in the county of Suffolk said sum shall be paid to the treasurer of the city or town in which said dog is kept.

JOHN A. RAYMOND, Town Clerk.

WEYMOUTH, MASS.

P. O. Address, East Weymouth, Mass. 52-2

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of HELEN M. EVANS late of Weymouth in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

14 Charles St., East Weymouth, Mass.
Feb. 24, 1916. 51-1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of WILLIAM L. KIMBALL late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ELIHU G. LOOMIS, Executor.
15 State St., Boston, Room 100.
Feb. 24, 1916. 51-1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOHN COYLE

late of Weymouth in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by M. Coyle of said Weymouth who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named without giving surety on his oath and qualification;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-second day of March, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

51-1 J. R. McCoolle, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

WARREN WESTON

late of Weymouth in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by Martin S. Meigs of said Weymouth, and Walter Lawrence West n, of Paducah in the State of Kentucky, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors; thereon named without giving surety on their official bonds;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-second day of March, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of March, A. D. 1916.

51-1 J. R. McCoolle, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Land Court.

To M. Frances Pool, Lucinda K. Gardner and Gustave B. Bates, of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth, Carrie Elizabeth Holbrook, Grace Warren Holbrook, Blanch Elizabeth Holbrook, and Carrie May Holbrook, of Whitman, in the County of Plymouth, and said Commonwealth, Harriet H. Greed of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Florence Lydia Holbrook, of Stamford, in the State of Connecticut; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Robert M. White, of said Weymouth, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Weymouth, bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Pleasant Street; Northeasterly by land of Lucinda K. Gardner; Southeasterly by land of Gustave B. Bates, and Southwesterly by Washington Street.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the twenty-seventh day of March, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, CHARLES THORNTON DAVIS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of February in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

51-1 CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

BY SEAVER & FROST, AUCTIONEERS.

18 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of real estate given by Edwin Hadley, Jr., and Marion W. Hadley, his wife, in her right, both of Weymouth, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Workingmen's Co-operative Bank, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and having its usual place of business in Boston, Suffolk County, and said Commonwealth, dated April 9, 1915, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1310, Page 378, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Wednesday, March 29, 1916, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the real estate described in said mortgage, to wit:

Two certain parcels of land with the buildings thereon, shown as parcel A and Parcel B on a plan of land in (South) Weymouth, Mass., for Carrie T. MacBride, Russell H. Whiting, Civil Engineer, dated May 4, 1915, which plan is to be recorded herewith, together bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Central Street as shown on said plan, Two hundred twenty-nine and 07/100 (229.07) feet; Northwesterly by land now or late of Ethel M. Wright and M. M. Wright, One hundred thirteen and 37/100 (113.37) feet; Southwesterly by land now or late of Alfred W. Hastings, One hundred eighty-two and 28/100 (182.28) feet; Northeasterly again by lands now or late of Alfred W. Hastings, Second Universalist Society in Weymouth, Walter H. Joy, Frank A. Brown and Florence E. Dyer, Two hundred and thirty-eight and 41/100 (238.41) feet; Southerly by land now or late of William T. Reardon, Two hundred eighty-eight and 44/100 (288.44) feet; Southeasterly by land now or late of Hattie M. Bullock, One hundred eighteen and 31/100 (118.31) feet; Northeasterly again by said land of Hattie M. Bullock and by land now or late of Joseph H. Burrell, One hundred eighty-four and 87/100 (184.87) feet; and Southeasterly again by land now or late of said Burrell, One hundred thirteen and 41/100 (113.41) feet. Said parcel A containing according to said plan, about 27500 square feet, and said parcel B containing about 42500 square feet.

Together with all rights and privileges contained or referred to in deed from Carrie T. MacBride of even date with said mortgage and recorded therewith.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, tax titles, and municipal assessments, if any. Four hundred dollars (\$400) required at sale.

WORKINGMEN'S CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.

By FRANK E. BURBANK, Treasurer.

For further particulars apply to William N. Swain, Attorney for the Bank, Rooms 1111-1117 Paddock Building, 101 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass. 51-1

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Beautiful Land of Alsace.

This land of Alsace is in many re-
spects the most beautiful that I have
ever seen. Strung along the horizon,
like sentinels wrapped in mantles of
green, the peaks of the Vosges loom
against the sky. On the slopes of the
ridges, massed in their black battal-
ions, stand forests of spruce and pine.
Through peaceful valleys silver
streams meander leisurely, and in the
meadows which border them cattle
stand knee deep amid the lush green
grass. The villages, their tortuous,
cobble paved streets, lined on either
side by dim arcades, and the old, old
houses, with their turrets and balco-
nies and steep pitched pottery roofs,
give you the feeling that they are not
real, but that they are scenery on a
stage, and this illusion is heightened
by the men in their jaunty berets and
wooden sabots, and the women whose
huge black silk headdresses accentuate
the freshness of their complexions. It
is at once a region of ruggedness and
majesty and grandeur, of quaintness
and simplicity and charm.—F. Alex-
ander Powell in Scribner's Magazine.

Japan's Dragon Lamps.

Japan abounds with sacred places—
Shintoist and Buddhist—formerly re-
puted for the appearances of the so
called "dragon's lamp." This is a mys-
terious light that comes out of a pond,
lake or sea and alights on a certain
tree, mostly on a certain night. It was
held that the light was dedicated by a
dragon dwelling in the water to a
god whose shrine stood near the trees.
For example, the famous Ryuto of the
temple of Avalokitesvara on Nagusa
hill, province of Kii, made its annual
ascent from the sea to a pine tree in
the precincts every ninth night of the
seventh moon. At the midnight of the
16th of every month a Ryuto came
from the northeast offing to the so
called "dragon's lamp pine," near the
shrine of Mandjuri at Kiredo, provin-
ce of Tango, whereas on the same
tree another light, named "Celestial
lamp," made its descent from the heav-
ens every sixteenth night of the first,
fifth and ninth months.—Exchange.

Last Chance.

"It is said," he remarked reflectively,
"that women's hands are growing
larger."
"Well?" she returned inquiringly.
"Yes," he asserted. "And the worst
of it is that there is every likelihood
that this tendency will continue."
"Yes?" she said in the same inquir-
ing tone.

"Yes," he repeated. "You see, driv-
ing and golf and tennis and other
sports that women have recently taken
up are responsible for it."
"In that case," she said, with a
glance at her own dainty hands, "you'd
better speak quick if you want a small
one."

He realized that it was the opportu-
nity of a lifetime, and he spoke
promptly.—Chicago Herald.

Leaping Treason.

King William III. of England was
passionately fond of the chase and
made it a point never to be outdone
in any leap, however perilous. A Mr.
Cherry, who was devoted to the ex-
iled Stuarts, took advantage of this
to plan the most remarkable design
which was ever formed against a
king's life. He regularly joined the
royal hounds, put himself foremost
and took the most desperate leaps in
the hope that William might break
his neck in following him. One day,
however, he accomplished one so im-
minently dangerous that the king when
he came to the spot shook his head
and drew back. It is said that Mr.
Cherry at length broke his own neck
and thereby relieved the king from
further hazard.

Salt in Roumania.

Veritable mountains of salt are to be
seen in some sections of Roumania.
For the salt deposits cover an enor-
mous area and have a thickness vary-
ing from 600 even to 800 feet. At
Sarat there is a mountain of salt, and
steam shovels can be used to load the
waiting cars. In other cases the gal-
lery system is employed, and electri-
cally driven machines turn out
blocks a cubic yard in size, like great
pieces of granite.

Not Necessarily.

"You say this motorist took you to a
hospital after he ran you down?"
"Yes."
"Nothing could be kinder."
"Maybe not, but he didn't have to
run me down, did he, just to show me
he had a kind heart?"—Birmingham
Age-Herald.

The Arabic Language.

The Arabic used in the Koran dif-
fers as much from the Arabic used in
ordinary conversation and intercourse
in the east as Latin differs from Ital-
ian. The Koran Arabic is that of the
literary classes; colloquial Arabic is
that of the common people.

A Helpful Wife.

"Now, hubby, I want to be helpful."
said the bride.
"Bless my little wife!"
"So whenever you have any coupons
to be clipped you may turn that work
over to me."—Louisville Courier-Jour-
nal.

Not Clear to Paw.

Little Lemuel—Say, paw, can any one
see through glass? Paw—Certainly,
son. Little Lemuel—Then why can't
Uncle Joe see through his glass eye?—
Exchange.

A Reason.

"Why do writers always talk of
angry flames?"
"Because, if you notice, flames are
usually put out."—Baltimore American.

NORTH WEYMOUTH IMP. ASS'N

New Officers and Fine List of Com- mittees Promise Lively Meetings in North Weymouth.

From all appearances the newly
elected officers of the North Wey-
mouth Improvement Association will
keep things moving in the north part
of the town the coming year. Here
is the list:

President, Henry A. Day; Vice
President, David M. Kidder, Chas. A.
Leavitt; Secretary and Collector, H.
A. Bailey; Treasurer, Russell H.
Whitting.

Following are the committees:

Railroad—E. H. Kavanagh, D. M.
Kidder, F. C. Bucknam, W. B. Dasha.
Clock—H. A. Bailey, W. M. Tyler, R.
S. Gilmore.

Streets and Sidewalks—P. J. Derrig,
Miles P. Keene, Simon R. Hurley,
John A. Carter.

Publicity—D. W. Kidder, H. A.
Bailey, W. H. Holden, W. H. Wilde.

Membership—E. C. Culley, H. A.
Day, P. J. Derrig, F. C. Bucknam, N.
Q. Cushing.

Parks and Trees—G. L. Haupt, Wm.
E. Bean, P. J. Derrig.

Electric Lighting and Gas Service—
S. G. Dunbar, W. B. Dasha, Chas. A.
Leavitt.

Beaches—Henry A. Day, E. P. Mar-
shall, J. W. Colgan, John A. Carter.
Mail and Telephone Service—L. J.
Peterson, O. F. Cox, C. E. Stiles.

Bridges—G. L. Newton, R. H. Whit-
ting, Ernst Alexanderson.

Appropriations—G. L. Haupt, Henry
A. Day, S. G. Dunbar, F. H. Torrey,
Wm. T. Seabury, C. E. Stiles, W. B.
Dasha, Chas. A. Leavitt, R. H. Whit-
ting.

Entertainment—W. H. Wilde, Philip
Wolfe, W. H. Holden, E. T. Jordaa,
H. J. Ferris, S. T. Torrey.

New members are being added to
the roll all the time and many in-
teresting meetings are being planned
for.

LOST IN WRECK.

Capt. Ira Montgomery Formerly of East Weymouth.

Captain Ira Montgomery, formerly of
East Weymouth, captain of the barge
Kohinoor, and his crew of four were lost
when his barge was wrecked in a 45-mile
gale off North Scituate last Saturday.

The life-savers made a desperate attempt
but fate was against them. Before they
reached the shattered and almost sub-
merged Kohinoor her captain and men
had been washed to their doom. The
lifeboat picked up one man but he died
before they brought him ashore.

Captain Montgomery lived at 170 Middle
street and afterwards on Myrtle street
when he was a resident of East Weymouth.
He worked as a carpenter while here,
after which he secured a position as cap-
tain of a coal barge running between Bos-
ton and Philadelphia.

Funeral of James Reynold Higgins.

The funeral of James R. Higgins who
died last Tuesday night, took place in the
Immaculate Conception church East Wey-
mouth last Friday morning. Many floral
remembrances, testified to the esteem in
which the young man was held. Rev.
Cornelius J. Riorden was the celebrant at
the high mass of requiem. The church
choir, assisted by Miss Nellie Noonan,
provided the music.

The bearers were Cornelius Condrick,
Thomas King, David Lynch, Francis Nu-
gent, Harold Cress and Vincent Gorman.
Interment was at St. Francis Xavier cem-
etery.

Lengthens Life of Rubber Gloves.

A new process for vulcanizing seam-
less rubber gloves has been brought
out, by which the life of the gloves is
said to be considerably lengthened.
Instead of vulcanizing the glove on the
dipping frame after the several coat-
ings have been applied, each consecu-
tive layer is vulcanized as the glove
structure progresses.—Popular Sci-
ence Monthly.

Telephone Far From Piano.

One important point about musical
good housekeeping: Keep the tele-
phone as far as possible from the
music room. It is fatal to cut off
the Kreutzer sonata just at the most
frenzied climax, while the grocer ex-
plains why he forgot the lard, or the
operator informs you in a bored voice
that she begs your pardon.—Robert
Haven Schaulter, in Good Housekeep-
ing.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he
is senior partner of the firm of F. J.
Cheney & Co., doing business in the
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And Then Some.
It has been said that all the mean
acts of his life are quickly brought be-
fore a drowning man. The same might
also be said of a candidate for office.—
Exchange.

Suggestive Nickname.

It is said that a former postmaster
general of Guatemala was nicknamed
"mata muertos," which is to say "kill-
er of dead persons." He is supposed
to have stabbed the dead body of a
murdered president as it lay in the
street.

Jolly Time Ahead.

John—"I'm going to have a swell
feed in the room tonight." George—
"I'll be there." John—"All right. Lend
me a quarter to buy some crackers;
you get some milk and cheese, and
we'll have a rarebit."—Dartmouth
Jack-o'-Lantern.

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Weymouth Gazette

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916

The Bay State railroad when it thinks the people of this section don't love it enough, should look to New York where a "no-seat, no-fare" law is likely to pass the legislature.

On Monday next the voters of this town will be called upon to settle, for another twelve months at least, the question of no licenses to sell intoxicating liquors shall be granted. There is rightly but one way to settle it and that is accomplished by voting "no." A no vote stands for a clean town, the protection of the home and the safety of our young people.

Next Monday is election. Without doubt most of the voters know by heart the list of candidates for the several positions. Ward 8 and 5 seem to have the principle fights on hand, as in Ward 3 Messrs. Hunt, Kelly and Perry are in line for the selectmanship, while in South Weymouth B. B. Wright is out to win from the present selectman, Ralph Burrell.

Henry Ford, the automobile magnate, is filling the papers with signed statements against "Preparedness" and in his stories, argues that if the nation prepares for war the way that many desire, the country will be at war within the next ten years. From all indications the majority of the people disagree with Mr. Ford and in spite of his efforts to persuade the country to do otherwise, the nation will go right on preparing itself in case of any trouble with foreign powers.

Merchant's week in Weymouth and East Braintree, together with Gas week, should be of considerable benefit to the eighty odd business men in these two villages. All the merchants should take hold of the idea and push it through to a gala finish in April. Every merchant must get enthusiastic, boom the project, don't let some one else do your part, hustle with the rest and make Merchant's week far reaching in all directions for many months to come.

Now that the Plymouth strike is over and all is peaceful again, the agitation in several towns over the sending of the town police to maintain order in the strike district will probably quickly die out. However the arrangement seemed very unsatisfactory and caused considerable friction in this section. The police of this town and of most every town, in fact, have enough in their own sections to look after, but Plymouth officials had to maintain order and the only way open to them was to call on outside police. Such incidents as these are a strong argument in favor of having a state constabulary, thus relieving local police and our militia from the unpleasant strike work.

Section one of our town meeting is now a matter of record and the record is a fairly average one. Our new moderator showed proficiency in the use of parliamentary usages and from start to finish was equal to all emergencies which arose. It is now up to the several boards of town officers to show their executive ability in carrying out the votes as passed. Section two of the Town meeting is to come next Monday and the battle will be fought out at the polls. We say "battle" but there are but one or two instances in which a contest will take place and in those each side is confident of a win. The result will be known Monday night and will be published entire in our next week's issue. License and no-license is to be an important question and no doubt Weymouth will still be in the water district and yet it ought to be by a much larger majority. 323 was the majority on the right side last year and if we could have the 169 blanks which were cast, and also Precincts 3 and 6 come over on the right side we would make a pretty good showing.

Live Up to the Part.

No longer talk at all about the kind of man that a good man ought to be, but be such.—Marcus Aurelius.

To the Voters of Weymouth.

South Weymouth, Mass.,
March 9, 1916.

Dear Sirs:

The writer thinks that South Weymouth should again be represented on the Board of Selectmen, by one whose business keeps him in the town all the time, as this seems to have been the unwritten rule for years.

One who can attend the meetings of the Board, not less than half, but all the meetings, is Mr. Burton B. Wright. I think we have a candidate for the office of Selectman, one who can do justice to the office.

Mr. Wright lives within five minutes walk of Columbian square. His qualifications for the position can not be questioned, his business takes him to all parts of the town, he is vice-president of the Board of Trade, treasurer of the South Weymouth Imp. Ass'n. and holds a rating under the Civil Service as clerk in the Railway Mail division.

Mark your ballot for Burton B. Wright who has no pledges to fulfill except EFFICIENCY in Town Government.

F. W. Howe,

9 Burton Terrace, South Weymouth.

PRESENT OPERETTA.

The Sanctuary Society of Sacred Heart Church Entertained in Bates' Opera House Last Monday Night.

A well attended operetta entitled "A Merry Company" and general entertainment, under the auspices of the Sanctuary society of the Sacred Heart church, was held in Bates' opera house, Weymouth on Monday evening.

The presentation was highly enjoyed by parties from all the Weymouths and the surrounding towns.

The cast of the operetta included the following:

Florence Grace Donovan
Bessie Ellen Hall
Gertie Rhea Furtaw
The Captain Leo Cushing
Charlie Edward Cleary
Policemen Charles Kelley
Donald Smith
George Teller

Jolly Cadets, Joseph Cassidy, Thomas Cassidy, Henry Cleary, Lawrence Corridan, Leonard Cushing, Harold Dowd, Henry Dugan, Harry Maguire, Sylvester Perro, Chester Teller, Oliver Teller and Morrill White.

Flag bearers, Alfred DeCoste, Gerald Cleary and Chester DeCoste.

Drummer boys, John Ahern, Harold Auger, Aubrey Dalton, John Galvin and Manlius Giraldi.

Merry picnic troupe, Dorothy Auger, Elizabeth Bacherie, Alice Cross, Hazel Cuniff, Catharine Curley, Eleanor Donovan, Esther Dwyer, Margaret Haviland, Helen Hennessey, Theresa Levangle, Helen Lyons, Mabel Pace, Margaret Smith, Margaret Spillane and Marion Tracy.

Wood Nymphs, Lucetta Dalton, Margaret Brow, Edna Daly, Kathleen Dwyer, Helen Galvin, Katherine Hall, Florence Howe, Dorothy Seeley and Dorothy Smith.

Wee Mammies, Pauline Ahern, Margaret Bailey, Mary Cleary, Bernice Bowie, Katherine Clinton, Elizabeth Condrick, Winifred Curley, Mathilda Corner, Catherine Delorey, Martha Frazier, Mary Frazier, Gertrude Levangle, Mary Marr, Alice Shea, Louise Thomas, Helen Tracy, Louise Trainor, Elsie White and Doris Frazier.

Miss Helen Linnehan gave the "May Blossom Dance" in her usual graceful manner. Miss Katherine Hall read "Long Long Ago" and Morrill White entertained with the reading "The Countersign."

The performance was staged under the direction of Mrs. Byron Hall. Thomas Cassidy, violinist and Miss Mary Donovan, piano, played the incidental music and gave several selections.

High School Dance.

The annual dances of the Senior class of Weymouth High school was held in the High school hall last Friday night. A large gathering was in attendance. Cuff's orchestra furnished music. The committee in charge comprised Arthur White, Lillian Smith, Pauline Dowd, Evelyn Greeley, Marjorie Dunn and Lester Lohnes.

New Photoplay Books

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FORM OF ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INSOLVENT ESTATE.

Estate of Henderson Otis Brown, late of Weymouth in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, represented insolvent.

The Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Henderson Otis Brown and notice is hereby given that six months from the eighth day of March A. D. 1916, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that the Court will receive and examine the claims of creditors at Dedham, on the third day of May, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and at Dedham, on the sixth day of September, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

HOMER F. LIVERMORE,

Administrator.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—Don't forget the mock initiation and dance, auspices of Crescent Lodge No. 82, I.O.O.F. in Oddfellows opera house on the evening of Thursday, March 23, at 8 o'clock. Tickets on sale at 35 cents at W. M. Tirrell's store, East Weymouth. Come and have a good laugh.—Adv't.

—Mrs. Nathaniel S. Ford of Bridge street will entertain the Sparklers club at a covered dish party tomorrow, Saturday, evening.

—Dr. William A. Drake is suffering with an attack of the gripe.

—Elliott L. Tobey of Bridge street is ill at his home with pneumonia.

—Mrs. Edward H. Kavanagh has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Chase of Lynn, during the past week.

—Clarke Page of North street is recovering from his recent illness.

—The Tenophus club met with Mrs. Etta Ross of Bigelow street, Quincy, last Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. Sophia Beal of Hingham was the recent guest of relatives in town.

—Mrs. S. O. Estes of Neck street is ill at her home.

—Arthur Mercer of Sea street is confined to his home by illness.

—The Vehmaldove club met with Mrs. Nathaniel S. Ford of Bridge street, last Monday evening.

—Wilson E. Beane is confined to his home by illness.

—The North Weymouth Improvement Association held a meeting on Wednesday evening, March 1, to discuss the town warrant. There was a good number in attendance. A collation was served.

—The fire which occurred last Thursday, March 2, on Bedford street, Boston, caused some damage to the store of Earle Williams of Daley & Williams.

—Mrs. H. O. Tutty underwent an operation at the Charlesgate hospital, Cambridge, last Monday. At present Mrs. Tutty is doing well.

—Miss Tower of Cohasset was unable to speak at the Sunday school conference of the Norfolk East District Sunday school association at the Universalist church last Monday evening. Mrs. Hall of Wollaston spoke on the primary department in her stead.

—Miss Olive Blake of North street entertained her Sunday school class last Tuesday evening at a covered dish party in honor of the birthday of Miss Hazel Smith.

—R. N. Garfield of Crescent avenue sustained a serious cut to his hand while at his work.

—The regular business meeting and social of the Y. P. C. U. connected with the Universalist church will be held in the church parlor this Friday evening, March 10.

—The Ladies Circle connected with the Pilgrim church met last Wednesday afternoon and evening in the church parlor.

—Miss Alice Barker of Dorchester has been the recent guest of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Barker of North street.

—From the present time until about Easter, the pastor's class at the Pilgrim church will use a part of the regular hour of the Christian Endeavor each Sunday evening.

—The annual meeting of the Pilgrim parish has been postponed until next Tuesday evening, March 14.

—It is reported that Rev. Arthur Mercer, pastor of the Universalist churches in this place and Weymouth Landing, has accepted a call from the Seekonk Congregational church and will begin his new duties about April 1.

TIME IS THE TEST.

The Testimony of Weymouth People Stands the Test.

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made and merit alone will stand the test of time.

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Popular Japanese Game.

One of the most popular games among Japanese children is otedama, played with small cloth bags filled with red beans. The number of bags used is seven or ten. The game consists in throwing the bags into the air, one after another in quick succession, trying to catch them before they reach the ground. The idea is to keep all the bags in motion.

A Tiger Story.

There is a story current at Kuloang, central China, about a tiger which gave trouble in that quarter. A missionary and his wife had been worried by the tiger prowling nightly around their home. They determined to be rid of it and one night tied a cow up in the back yard and a dog at the front of the house. Then they armed themselves with guns and kept watch. The tiger appeared. The missionary fired and killed the cow. The wife rushed to see what had happened, and in her absence the tiger ate the dog.—Exchange.

Lazy Idleness.

Beware of lazy idleness. It will have its effect on your whole system. It brings on degeneration of the muscles and the internal organs, sometimes resulting in an unhealthy accumulation of fat and sometimes in internal adhesion. In some constitutions it results in shrinkage and premature old age.

Within Reason.

Mistress—Jane, didn't you hear the doorbell? New Servant—Yes, mum. Mistress—Then why don't you go to the door? New Servant—Deed, mum, I ain't expectin' nobody to call on me. It must be somebody to see yourself, mum.—Passing Show.

Evil Enough.

There is evil enough in man, God knows, but it is not the mission of every young man and woman to detail and report it all. Keep the atmosphere as pure as possible and fragrant with gentleness and charity.—Dr. John Hall.

Different.

Larry—My wife went away yesterday morning. Harry—Is that what makes you look so glum? Larry—No she came back last night.—Exchange.

Roaring Business.

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Town Meeting.

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sistant at \$400 per year to stay at headquarters. By a vote of 72 to 34 the \$4,500 appropriation was made, \$4,000 of this to be raised by serial bonds. W. W. Pratt made an appeal for more money in the regular appropriation on account by the additional expense that will be incurred on account of the new truck and \$13,500 was voted, \$10,000 of this amount to be expended under the direction of the Forest Warden.

Art. 17. In regard to installing a fire alarm box near the Union Street cemetery, received no action.

Art. 18 was taken up with No. 16.

Art. 19 came up with Art. 16 also.

Art. 20 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for police service.

The police appropriation was made \$8,300 in place of the \$7,500 recommended by the appropriation committee, the increase being required on account of the extra police service required on the state roads during the summer months.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from the revenue of the Water Works for the current year the sum of \$39,915, to be expended for the following purposes, viz: \$15,000, for Superintendent's salary, maintenance and pumping station; \$2,500, for current expenses, Commissioners' and office expenses; \$5,000, for the installation of meters; \$9,415, for interest on bonds, viz: \$4,600 on sinking fund bonds at 4 per cent on \$115,000; \$4,185 on Serial bonds at 4 1-2 per cent on \$93,000; \$450 on Serial bonds at 4 1-2 per cent on \$11,000; \$180 on Serial bonds at 4 per cent; \$8,000 on Serial bonds due this year, viz: \$3,000 due May 1 and \$5,000 due November 1.

It was voted that \$39,915 be appropriated from the revenue of the Water Works for the current year, to be expended for the following purposes, viz: \$15,000, for Superintendent's salary, maintenance and pumping station; \$2,500 for current expenses, Commissioner's and office expenses; \$5,000, for the installation of meters; \$9,415, for interest on bonds.

Art. 22. The issue of bonds to the amount of \$10,000 was authorized for the purpose of making new construction in the Water Department.

Art. 23. Voted to appropriate and direct to be paid to the Trustees of the Sinking Fund from the revenue of the Water Works for the current year the sum of \$5,000 to be set apart and invested as a sinking fund for the payment at maturity of the Weymouth Water Loan Bonds.

Art. 24. In relation to filtering bed or beds. No action.

At this point a resolution favoring House bill 788 in the State Legislature regarding the construction of a boulevard around Weymouth Great Pond was adopted after remarks by M. Sheehy, Mr. Guertin and Walter L. Bates.

Art. 25. \$2,000 was appropriated for the services and expenses for the Board of Health.

Art. 26 and Art. 27 relative to a sewerage system. No action.

Art. 28. \$10,300 was voted for the payment of Town officers.

Art. 29. Voted to raise and appropriate \$14,000 for election expenses.

Art. 30. \$1,000 was voted for the rent and expenses of Town officers.

Art. 31. Articles 36, 37, 38, 39 and 43 taken up with this article and upon motion Art. 40 was included also. A division of the question was moved by Burton B. Wright and it was then voted that the selectmen appoint for superintendent of streets a man who has a technical knowledge of street building.

After discussions by Greeley, Gourley, O'Brien and Wright it was voted to raise and appropriate \$13,000, and further appropriate the excise and street railway taxes, \$400 of this for bridges, \$3,000 for the removal of snow and that the subject matter of Articles 36, 37, 38, 39 and 43 be referred to the Superintendent of streets, the cost to be taken from the regular street appropriation.

Art. 32. \$530 voted as being the town's proportional part of the cost of working Washington street as a state road and rebuilding bridges, above the first estimate.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote that the street from the angle of Tremont street to Keith street shall hereafter be known as a part of Tremont street. Voted as asked.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote that the street from the angle of Tremont street to Prospect street of Norfolk street. Voted as asked.

Art. 35. Voted to raise and appropriate \$400 to regrade and drain Hawthorne street between Cedar and High streets.

Articles 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40 were taken up with Article 31.

Art. 41. Voted to raise and appropriate \$200 for the completion of the work on Randall avenue.

Art. 42. Rev. H. C. Alvord presented a proposal to the town to accept the green in Columbian square now owned by the Old South church.

Mr. O'Brien thought it a good idea to curb it and moved that a sufficient sum be raised for the purpose. A motion by B. B. Wright to indefinitely postpone was carried.

Article 43 taken up with No. 31.

Art. 44. Report of Selectmen on laying out of a townway over the private way known as Fore River avenue presented. A. O. Crawford spoke against the acceptance, claiming that the proposition was only to build a dam. During remarks in favor of the project by James W. Colgan, 6 o'clock, the hour of adjournment arrived and the meeting was adjourned until 7 o'clock.

Supper and much discussion soon found the hour passed, and at 7 Moderator Barnes again called the gathering to order, there being about 75 voters present.

Mr. Colgan was given the floor he having been talking at the time of adjournment. Mr. Sheehy made a few remarks in favor of the acceptance and it was voted to accept the report.

Art. 45. On petition. To see if the will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200 to work a certain street known as Fore River avenue, in Ward One, from Holbrook road to Sachem street. Voted \$200 for this purpose, instead of \$1,200 as asked.

Art. 46. Report of the Selectmen upon the laying out of a town way over the private way known as Hillcrest Road was accepted.

Art. 47. Voted \$300 for the purpose specified in Article 46.

Art. 48. Motion made to raise \$3000 for street watering and oiling, balance to be assessed the abutters. M. Sheehy offered a substitute motion to raise \$6000 in place of \$3000. This was voted down and the original motion carried.

Art. 49. On a motion to raise \$2000 for the purpose of building permanent sidewalks, the same to be expended under the provisions of the Betterment Act. Mr. Sheehy expressed the opinion that more and better sidewalks could be built for the money expended if the town did the work. O'Brien said he would like to see concrete instead of tar. Voted \$2000 as moved.

Art. 50. Voted to raise \$200 and appropriate \$7000 for the payment of State and Military Aid and for burials under the provisions of Chapter 587, of the Acts of 1914.

Art. 51. Voted to raise and appropriate \$3,500 for the relief of disabled soldiers and seamen and for the families of disabled soldiers and seamen under Chapter 79 of the Revised Laws.

Art. 52. Voted to raise and appropriate \$16,000 and appropriate \$2,000 for the relief of the poor.

Art. 53. Voted to raise and appropriate \$2,600 and further appropriate 1-2 the dog license tax for the support of Tufts Library.

Art. 54. Voted to raise and appropriate \$750 for the maintenance of a public reading room at the Fogg Library.

Art. 55. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the lighting of streets.

Articles 56, 57 and 58 referring to Electric lights, taken up with this article. Walter L. Bates voiced the opinion that the rates were high in Weymouth and questioned whether or not some action could be taken to see what could be done to get a lower rate. O'Brien spoke on the matter, but it was voted as recommended, that \$12,500 be raised and appropriated for street lighting and that the subject matter of Articles 56, 57 and 58 be referred to the Lighting Committee.

Art. 59. Voted to raise and appropriate \$2,000 for the maintenance of the Town Survey.

The moderator then called the attention of the voters to the lithograph map of the town which is for sale by Russell H. Whiting for the town.

Art. 60. Voted that all taxes shall become due and payable on or before the 11th day of October next and the collector to collect according to law, the rate of interest to be 6 per cent per annum.

Art. 61. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the abatement and remittance of taxes. Referred to Assessors.

Art. 62. Voted to appropriate from any money unexpended in the treasury the sum of \$7,000 for the payment of interest that may become due the ensuing year.

Art. 63. Voted to raise and appropriate \$800 for the preservation of shade trees the same to be expended under the direction of the Tree Warden.

Art. 64. Charles L. Merritt asked for \$5000 instead of the \$4000 recommended by the committee and after remarks by Mr. O'Brien, and Mr. Sheehy the \$5000 was voted.

Art. 69. Voted to raise and appropriate \$400 for Memorial Day.

Art. 70. Recommended.

Art. 71. Authorized Selectmen to take any necessary action to regulate or prohibit the taking of clams from the shores and flats of the town.

Art. 72. To see if the town will take any action in relation to the acquirement or protection of the Alewife Fishery and to raise and appropriate money therefor. Authorized Selectmen to act and report.

Art. 73. Voted to raise and appropriate \$5,600 for miscellaneous expenses, \$500 of this to be for insurance and \$500 for an audit of the town by a certified public accountant. M. Sheehy, Dr. Greeley and Henry A. Day spoke on the matter of insurance and a motion to strike out the insurance clause was lost.

Art. 74. The Selectmen were authorized to sell any real estate for which it has no further use, same to be sold at public auction except in the case of property taken for the non-payment of taxes.

Weymouth town warrant zArticle 75

Art. 75. Bradford Hawes for the selectmen urged the authorization of the appointment of an Inspector of Wires in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 122, Section 18 of the Revised Laws. John L. Bean favored the authorization and Mr. O'Brien opposed. A motion by B. B. Wright to indefinitely postpone was carried.

Art. 76. Voted to raise and appropriate \$2,000 to be used in the working of Broad street as a macadam road.

With the voting of an appropriation of \$200 for the working of Morrell street under article 77 the annual town meeting of 1916 was brought to a close.

After ten hours, of debate, on every conceivable angle, the few that remained for the finish departed for their various homes, all conscious of a hard day's work finished.

PUBLIC VIEWERS

WARD ONE—Arthur W. Bartlett, C. Lewis French, J. J. Lane, John Byrnes, Michael F. Lane.

WARD TWO—Samner Thompson, Clara Mitchell, C. T. Leavitt, Weston H. Cushing, Loretta Looney, Wallace D. Cowing, Jas. B. Bosworth.

WARD THREE—Henry N. Willoby, John H. Condrick, Robert A. Condrick, Ed. I. Loud, Susan B. Worthen, J. F. Dwyer, Lillian Eldridge.

WARD FOUR—W. H. Mace, Marjorie J. Mace, Nathaniel R. Ellis.

WARD FIVE—Alvin Hollis, Walter L. Bates, J. Leonard Bicknell, Stanley Hersey, Edgar S. Wright, James Tirrell.

SURVEYORS OF WOOD, LUMBER AND BARK

WARD ONE—N. Porter Keene, John J. Lane.

WARD TWO—Weston H. Cushing, George M. Keene, J. P. Haddie.

WARD THREE—John H. Condrick, Henry N. Willoby, Robert A. Condrick, Earl W. Bates, John F. Dwyer, Lillian Eldridge.

WARD FOUR—Charles A. Loud, John L. Maynard, Nathaniel R. Ellis.

WARD FIVE—Alvin Hollis, Walter L. Bates, J. Leonard Bicknell, Stanley Hersey.

FENCE VIEWERS

Clarence A. Loud, Miles P. Keene, Russell B. Worster.

FIELD DRIVERS

George W. Nash, Albert M. Newcomb, Francis W. Cowing, Thomas Fitzgerald, George B. Bailey, Arthur H. Pratt, George W. Conant, Elbert Ford, Charles Trask, Willard F. Hall.

POUND KEEPER

J. W. Eldridge.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMITTEE

Sidney G. Dunbar, Winslow M. Tirrell, Russell B. Worster, Walter W. Pratt, Matthew O'Dowd.

PLANNING BOARD

WARD ONE—Arthur H. Alden, David M. Kidder, Walter J. Sladen, Russell H. Whiting, James W. Colgan.

WARD TWO—Cornelius J. Lynch, Minot P. Garey, George M. Keene, Fred L. Doucette, Robert S. Hoffman.

WARD THREE—Edward W. Hunt, John B. Whelan, Peter E. Sullivan, Wallace H. Bicknell, Albert P. Worthen.

WARD FOUR—Bradford Hawes, Burton B. Wright, M. R. Loud, William J. Holbrook, Frank W. Rea.

WARD FIVE—George L. Barnes, John Reidy, Walter L. Bates, Ralph P. Burrell, Prince H. Tirrell.

NOTES

After twenty odd years as moderator Judge Cook once again viewed the proceedings from the floor of the house. The veteran Moderator has done noble service for his town and but few have handled a gavel at a Town meeting in New England with better results than the South Weymouth man.

Hon. George L. Barnes surely lived up to all the good things claimed for him by his friends, in the role of moderator. He was alive to the many points of discussion and was fair and impartial at all times.

Once again let us give a thought to the genial "Cad" Howe who made Town Meetings so full of "pep" for many years.

At the outset Clerk J. A. Raymond appointed Messrs. Pratt, Cate, Whiting, Burrell and Joseph Cushing as checkers to count the vote for moderator. During the day's session W. H. Pratt and Bates Torrey did the work of counting the votes on each motion and in the evening W. M. Tirrell and L. W. Bates were sworn in to count the votes.

The Town Officers and the newspapermen were out in force and were in their usual corner at the left of the Moderator.

Miss Hazel Dexheimer, the "stenog" for the appropriation committee was at the committee table assisting in taking notes and other data for use next year.

Clerk John A. Raymond could run a town meeting of his own by this time. The genial and efficient Town Clerk has officiated at 34 regular Town meetings and a host of special meetings.

Foreman J. Walter Howley had several special cars out before and after the meeting and the crowd was well taken care of in the transportation line.

Archie Blanchard's Ideal Lunch and other refreshment places did a rushing business between 12 and 1. At 4 o'clock Archie had 400 loaves of "Town Meeting" cake hot from the oven out through the village and many a fine feed of the annual cake was enjoyed of the South part of the town Monday night.

It was just 9.05 when the vote to adjourn was rushed through and five minutes afterwards Fogg's Opera House was, not as it was claimed in the afternoon for Columbian Square, "all hustle and bustle," but serene and quiet, awaiting an attack in 1917.

E. L. O'Brien had his ready wit and quick answers always with him. When he got his words twisted once by asking to have "the lot moved" he raised a fine laugh.

Previous to Act 12 Russell B. Worcester moved that the appropriation committees report be printed and brought before the public 3 days at least before the Town meeting. This was approved by the meeting.

WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS

—Mrs. Carlton Bradford has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sampson of Marshfield.

—Alfred Sladen is very ill at his home on Church street.

—Miss Mabel Killoch of Medford was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Parker T. Pearson on Sunday. Mrs. Pearson is now enjoying the company of her mother from Rockland, Me.

—George N. Neilson who resided at the Heights about a year ago and who went with his family to Panama, passed away a short time ago. Mr. Neilson leaves a widow and three children, who are at present stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Martin of North street.

—Miss Mary Humphrey who teaches in New Hampton, N. H., is spending a week's vacation with her mother, Mrs. James Humphrey.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sydney C. Beane who have been residing in New Haven, Conn., are at present making their home with Mrs. Beane's mother, Mrs. George J. Ries.

—The Woman's Missionary society will hold their annual business meeting with Miss Louise Briggs next Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Elmer Lunt was called to Duxbury on Saturday on account of the illness of her father.

—The topic for the meeting of the Y. P. C. E. society on Sunday evening at 6.30 will be "The Causes of Failure in Life."

—A special service for the Sunday school will be held next Sunday morning in conjunction with the regular service of the Old North church at 10.30 o'clock at which time Cross and Crown pins will be presented to all those having earned one for perfect attendance. The community is cordially invited.

—Mrs. Sarah Hodgdon, aged 87, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward I. Martin of 351 Commercial street, on Wednesday, March 1. Funeral services were held from her late home on Thursday. The interment took place at the Old North cemetery.

—Mrs. Fanny Pierce, for many years a resident of Weymouth Heights, died at the Home for Incurables, Dorchester, Friday, March 3, on her 84th birthday. Mrs. Pierce was born in Hingham but came to Weymouth in her early girlhood. She was the widow of the late William Pierce.

For forty-nine years, Mrs. Pierce has been a beloved member of the Old North church, where she was an active member as long as her strength permitted. In 1908 she was taken to the Home for Incurables, Dorchester, where the influence of her sweet Christian character became a comfort to all with whom she came in contact. Although Mrs. Pierce was unable to walk for the past eight years, she was always cheerful and she especially delighted in making others happy in various ways. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Edward Murphy and a grandson, Ralph Murphy. Funeral services were held at the Old North church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. Edward J. Yaeger conducting the service. The interment took place at the Old North cemetery.

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—Mrs. William Wagner directed the entertainment at the fair and sale of the Ladies Social Circle of the Union Congregational church held in Fogg's Opera house Friday night. The program consisted of solos and concerted numbers by Miss Ethel F. Raymond, piano; Miss Josephine Durrell, violin and Miss Mildred Ridley, cello. Mrs. Henry A. Bender contributed vocal solos, Miss Helen Linnehan, solo dances; Misses Marian Proctor, Avis Howard and Doris Hadley sang "The Swing Song" and the Misses Linnehan and White danced "The Wedding Glide" with Miss Winifred Conant at the piano.

—J. Carlton Trainor left last week on an extended trip through Pennsylvania in the interest of the Commonwealth Shoe and Leather Co.

—Walter Price of Pond street has purchased an Overland car.

—Miss Dorothea Colton of Brookline was a recent guest of Mrs. S. E. Potter of Pine street.

—The young people of St. Francis Xavier parish held a meeting in the basement of the church last evening to make plans for their coming minstrel show, which probably will be held in May.

—Henry Lowell has returned from a visit with his son, Francis, at Philadelphia, Penn.

—Don't forget the mock initiation and dance, auspices of Crescent Lodge No. 82, I.O.O.F. in Oddfellows opera house on the evening of Thursday, March 23, at 8 o'clock. Tickets on sale at 35 cents at W. M. Tirrell's store, East Weymouth. Come and have a good.—Adv't.

—Miss Margaret Vining of East Braintree was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Seth Vining over the week end.

—Mrs. Junie Morrill and daughter Jessie of Boston were the guests of local friends during the past week.

—Mrs. Fred Taylor and daughter of Concord Junction, were the guests of Mrs. Charles Taylor of Main street over the week end.

—Mrs. Denning Luxton and son, Paul, are to arrive home tomorrow (Saturday) after a visit with Mrs. Luxton's sister in New York City.

—The White Sox A. A. have purchased a piano for their clubhouse on Pleasant street.

—The Mission Circle of the Old South church met at the home of Mrs. George Torrey on Tuesday evening.

—Miss Josie Madden of Central street is recovering from a recent illness.

—Miss Veronica Burke of Brockton was the recent guest of Mrs. James Cullane.

—Rev. Ulysses Milburn of Salem gave his lecture on "Scotland" at the Universalist church last Sunday evening. The lecture was greatly enjoyed by a large audience and the knowledge and wit of the author were greatly appreciated.

—Alfred Tirrell of Main street is reported as seriously ill at his home.

—Mrs. John Noonan of Main street has been entertaining Paul Bauers of Milton, Mr. Bauers was the personage who attracted so much attention as "Cutie" at the recent Moose dance.

—The Union street whist club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Wendell Hockings.

—Miss Alice O'Connor of Highland Place attended the Junior Prom at the Sargent school, Cambridge, last Friday evening as the guest of her cousin, Miss Priscilla Derby, a student there.

—Mrs. James Cullane of Central street entertained a party of friends at whist last Saturday evening.

—Miss Bridget Flynn and Mrs. Joseph Cullane are on an extended visit to New York and Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. Armella of Union street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born recently.

—Miss Anna Noonan of Main street has recovered from a severe illness.

—Jacob Wichert of Tower avenue has returned from a business trip through the Southern states.

—The Wissabucken Camp Fire Girls will meet with Miss Helen Line this evening (Friday.) Later in the evening they will join a party of other children at the home of Miss Winfield Baker.

—Mrs. Mary Walsh of Central street, who was recently severely burned while in her store, is reported on the road to recovery.

—The Columbian quartette sang at the Happy Hour theatre, Rockland last week.

—Raymond Burhoe has taken the place of Harry Alvord in the Old South Sunday school. Mr. Alvord has been recently made choir leader.

—Ellison Pratt has returned to work after an extended illness.

—Robert McCarthy of New Bedford was the Sunday guest of James Madden of Central street. "Bob" is to enter a Boston hospital for an operation for appendicitis this week.

—Miss Alice Horgan of Central street was tendered a surprise party at Clapp's hall last Friday evening. During the evening she was presented with a gold bracelet. Guests were present from Rockland, Abington, Whitman, Brockton and Boston. Music was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

—Henry Alvord, the young son of Harry Alvord, has the whooping cough.

—Fred Granger of Andover academy spent the first of the week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Karl Granger.

—Miss Mary McGovern of East Boston was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Benjamin Heffernan over the week end.

—During Lent there will be services on Wednesday and Friday evenings at St. Francis Xavier church. Rev. T. D. Crimmins has made arrangements to have a series of sermons by the Redemptionist Fathers.

—Saturday morning last Russell Poole was kicked by a balky horse in Weymouth Landing and received a compound fracture of the leg.

Universalist Church Notes.

Rev. Fred A. Line, the pastor, will preach at the Second Universalist church at 10.30 on the subject of "Keeping Lent." Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Y. P. C. U. meeting, held at 5.30, will be led by Ralph Hollis. At 6.30 the Rev. T. J. Farmer of East Boston will preach the first of a series of special Lenten sermons, his subject being "The Recognition of Brotherhood." These services are arranged for the general public and a cordial welcome will be extended to all. Good music morning and evening by vested choir.

Old South Church Notes.

Special music for Sunday, Mar. 12, Anthem, "The Lord is Exalted," (West); anthem, "God's Peace is Peace Eternal," (Grieg); tenor solo, George Monroe, "There's a Beautiful Land on High," (Taylor).

Morning worship Sunday at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor. At 11.45 Sunday school. At 6 o'clock C. E. meeting. 7 p. m. Evening gospel service. Thursday evening, March 16, Prayer meeting.

Union Church Notes.

Morning worship and sermon at 10.30 Sunday, March 10, the sermon topic, "The Christian Church, Its Life, Its Purpose, Its Mission."

Sabbath school services at 12 o'clock under the direction of J. S. Robinson, superintendent.

Christian Endeavor services at 6 p. m. Three groups of special sermons by Mr. Price. A complete list of these sermons will be published in next week's issue.

A flea and a fly, in a flue,
Got caught; so what could
they do?
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Said the fly, "Let us flee,"
So they flew thru a flaw in the
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you-uns is because we can't read so
much. So we think more.—W. A.
Bradley, in Harper's Magazine.

**JOHNNY'S
VALENTINE**
By ETHEL HOLMES

Johnny Walsh was a very modest
little boy, so modest that when the
house across the way and a short dis-
tance down the street was occupied by
a new family, including a golden hair-
ed, blue eyed girl, with pink cheeks
and vermilion lips, Johnny's breath
was quite taken away by her childish
beauty.

Johnny treasured in his heart a deli-
cious something for the girl opposite
that he would reveal to no one, least of
all to the object of his adoration. So
fearful was he that she would suspect
it that, when he saw her coming on
the street, he would either look down
at his toes or up at the sky, but never
at her.

The approach of St. Valentine's day
was a great relief to Johnny. He could
send his little love a valentine ex-
pressing his feelings for her without
her knowing that he did so. The only
obstacle in the way was that he did
not know her name and did not dare
ask any one who might know for fear
of betraying his secret. He was on
intimate terms with the grocer's deliv-
ery boy, whom he had noticed deliver-
ing supplies to both his and her home,
and asked him for the name of the
family in which his sweetheart be-
longed. Through Jim he learned the
girl's name was Julia Reynolds.

Johnny now had it all his own way.
The next thing for him to do was to
buy a valentine. He found it difficult
to find one to suit him, but at last suc-
ceeded, carried it to his room and,
locking the door, proceeded to address
it to Miss Julia Reynolds of 357 Har-
rison street, spelling Harrison H-a-r-r-
i-s-o-n.

A terrible thing happened while
Johnny was taking the valentine to the
letter box. Just as he was about to
drop the missive in the box who should
come along but the very girl to whom
it was addressed! John blushed scar-
let and instead of putting the valentine
in the box put it in his pocket and
walked away, looking up at the sky.
It was not till the evening, when dark-
ness covered his romance, that Johnny
realized his valentine in a box a mile
from his home.

Whether among the dozen valentines
John received there was one from the
girl he loved best he did not know.
Soon after St. Valentine's day, meeting
Julia coming from school, he mustered
courage to glance at her and thought
he saw a suspicion of a smile on her
pretty lips. But he dared not keep
his eyes on her long enough to make
sure. This was the last time he saw
her as a child, for soon after the meet-
ing he saw a doctor's vehicle before
the Reynolds door and later heard that
his little love was ill.

John's anxiety overcame his bash-
fulness. He gathered his loose change,
amounting to 50 cents, and bought a
posy. Then he persuaded a small boy
he picked up near the Reynolds house
to take it to the door, ring the bell
and hand it in, saying that it was for
Julia. John stood behind a tree box
till the feat was accomplished, then
walked away, proud of what he had
achieved.

A dozen years passed. John Walsh's
remembrance of his little love was a
very pleasant one, and often he laugh-
ed at his terror lest either the girl or
any one else should discover his secret
devotion. Being now a man he took
no interest in St. Valentine's day, but
whenever it came round, though he
had forgotten the missive he had sent
Julia Reynolds, a pleasant sensation
seemed to haunt him. As to Julia, he
did not know whether she was still liv-
ing. Her image remained with him,
but as if seen in a mirror that had be-
come clouded. Though his childish love
was a thing of the past, neither it nor
its object was forgotten.

When John was twenty-two years
old he met at an evening function a
young lady, with whom he was from
the first in rapport. They fell to com-
paring notes and learned that they had
once lived in the same city and in the
same neighborhood.

John had been introduced to the
young lady as Miss Reynolds, and it
occurred to him that this might be his
child love. He asked her if her name
was Julia, and when she said yes he
was sure that she was the girl to
whom he had sent the valentine and
the posy when she was ill. He had
overcome his boyish bashfulness and
was happy to avow that he had wor-
shipped her from a distance and had
sent her a valentine and flowers. Miss
Reynolds listened to this with evident
pleasure, but gave no sign of remem-
bering any such boy as John Walsh.
John, whose assurance was now equal
to his former modesty, swore that he
had never forgotten his boyish love
and intimated that he would gladly
pursue it as a man. Whether the
young lady attributed this to gallantry
or not she did not say.

Certain it is that there followed a
courtship between the two. In its last
stages John prided himself on his con-
stancy and feigned to regret that his
former devotion had not been appre-
ciated. Miss Reynolds made no reply
to these protestations till he had pro-
posed and had been accepted. Then she
produced a valentine and a flower,
both yellow with age, and in the for-
mer there came back to John a dim re-
membrance of the missive that had
cost him so much pain. Julia told him
that the flower was one of those he
had sent her when she was ill. She
had known of his admiration from the
first time he had passed her, for he had
shown it plainly by his effort to ap-
pear unconscious of it.

TELEPHONE COMPANY FORECASTS PROSPERITY.

**Annual Report of President Spalding
Says General Business Activity
Stimulates Toll Business.**

The annual report of the directors of
the New England Telephone and Tele-
graph Company, made through Presi-
dent Spalding at the annual meeting of
the stockholders yesterday, announced a
rapid and substantial increase in toll
traffic during the last three months of
1915, and predicted a likelihood of an
even greater use of telephone facilities
during 1916. This increase in toll traffic
was said to be due to the general activity
in all branches of mercantile and manu-
facturing enterprises. Provision is now
being made to meet the increase expected
during 1916.

Perhaps the most important event an-
nounced in President Spalding's report
was the purchase of over 96 per cent of
the stock of the Providence Telephone
Company. Four shares of New England
stock were given for five shares of Provi-
dence stock. During the year, the author-
ized capital stock of the New England
Company was increased from 500,000
shares to 750,000 shares. On December
31, 1915, the total number of shares of
stock issued and outstanding was 473,463.

During the year 1915, there was no
permanent financing, all new money being
obtained on notes from banks or from the
American Telephone and Telegraph Com-
pany.

At the beginning of the year, employ-
ees of the New England Telephone and
Telegraph Company, who had been in
service two years or more, were afforded
an opportunity to purchase stock in the
American Telephone and Telegraph Com-
pany at \$110 per share, and on easy terms
of payment. These terms provided that
the employees should pay \$2.00 per month
per share; be charged 4 per cent interest
on unpaid balances; and receive credit
for all dividends declared. One share of
stock could be purchased for each \$300 of
annual wages, but no more than ten shares
could be purchased by any one employee.
The total number of shares subscribed
for under this plan aggregated 10,473, and
were distributed among 3,542 employees.

Payments under the benefit fund plan,
maintained by the company for pensions,
accident, sickness, and the like, amounted
to \$155,000 for the year, an increase of
\$20,000 over the year 1913. In this con-
nection, however, President Spalding
pointed out that the total number of acci-
dents to employees showed a decrease of
over 7 per cent.

Col. Samuel P. Cobb of Providence was
elected a director.

Progress of Savings Bank Life Insur- ance.

Doctor Malcolm Seymore of Boston
has been appointed State Medical Director
to fill the position made vacant by the
resignation of Doctor Horace D. Arnold.
This appointment was confirmed by the
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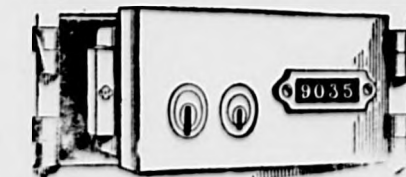
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ON THE FARM

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alone is worth more than \$2.00 a
year if you have a garden or keep
a horse, cow, pigs or hens.

Many of the farms have good stock
but the trouble is they have too many
kinds of stock.

Horses that have heavy coats of
hair should be clipped just before the
new hair starts.

The average farm implement is only
about half worn out by use alone.
The rest of the wear is due to rust
and decay.

It is an easy matter to overtax a
young vine by endeavoring to make it
produce and ripen more fruit than it
is capable of doing.

During the breeding season mate
one drake with four ducks until the
last of April, then diminish the num-
ber of drakes to one drake to five or
six ducks.

Don't be in too big a hurry. It's
unwise to work soil when it is SOREY
and very wet. Wait until it dries
into a crumbly, workable condition.

Twelve hens to one male bird are
enough, and fewer would be better.
Be sure that the male birds are not
closely related to the females.

Trees, shrubs and flowers, if well
chosen and tastefully arranged, in-
crease our happiness by making home
life more enjoyable, and, are, there-
fore, in the highest sense useful.

It is a delusion to suppose that hens
will not eat more than is good for
them. As in the case of human be-
ings, when tempted by appetizing vi-
ands, they will gorge themselves, and
thus bring on indigestion, and waste
energy in the effort to get rid of the
surplus.

Cows need light, not only for their
own health and comfort, but because
good butter cannot be made from the
milk of cows kept in dark stables.
Air, light, cleanliness and warmth
are four essentials of a cow stable
where cows are kept for profit.

It is a poor policy to buy up pure-
bred stock and turn it loose among a
half dozen other kinds, some so
crossed they will stand for nearly
any kind of treatment; yet this is a
rule on many farms. If you give all
extra care, the purebred will respond
to the good treatment and do good
work as long as they live, but the
purebred seldom do good work under
neglect; they are not used to it.

The high prices of potash and acid
phosphate at this time are causing
much concern among farmers who
depend upon commercial fertilizers
to supply these constituents for the
successful production of their crops.

If the farmers of this country had
always fully appreciated the true
value of farm manure, and used it
on their land, the present situation
would be much less acute. The an-
nual loss of fertilizing materials is
enormous in this country through
careless handling of manure. This
loss can be easily prevented in a
large measure by proper methods of
handling. While many farmers are
getting the most from the manure
produced on their farms, yet many
could well exemplify the European
farmer in this matter, who saves
carefully and utilizes every pound of
manure available.

The section on fruit growing at the
Mass. Agr. College Farmers' Week
March 13, 17, offers many attractions
to both the large and the small fruit
grower as well as to the grower of
both orchard and small fruits. Some
of the subjects on the program are:
Current Growing; Strawberry Grow-
ing; Raspberry Growing; Orchard In-
sects; Fungus Diseases; Spraying
Apparatus; The Spraying Campaign;
Spraying Demonstration; Picking and
Handling Fruit; Storage of Fruit;
Packing Apples under the New Law;
Marketing Fruit; Advertising Fruit
and Fruit Products; Pruning and
Pruning Tools; Pruning (Demonstra-
tion). There will be a Fruit Show
in Wilder Hall during the week and
this will be largely given up to edu-
cational features.

The Poultry Husbandry Section of
Farmers' Week, to be held at the
Mass. Agr. College, March 13, 17, of-
fers a considerable number of attrac-
tions to poultrymen and women. Some
of the subjects to be discussed on
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
are:—Preparing Fowls for Market;
Brooding and Growing Chicks;
Poultry Diseases; Killing, Dressing
and Packing Fowls; Marketing Poul-

ANOTHER VETERAN AT REST.

Samuel W. Pray Passes away at
Soldiers' Home, Chelsea.

Samuel W. Pray, a life long resident
died Friday at the hospital at the Soldiers'
Home, Chelsea, of pneumonia. He had
been at the home but a few days. He
was born in this town 85 years ago and is
survived by his son, George L. Pray.

Deceased was a veteran of the Civil
war, having served in Co. H. 35th Massa-
chusetts Regiment and was a member of
Reynolds Post 58 G. A. R.

The funeral took place Monday after-
noon from his late residence, 296 Wash-
ington street and was conducted by Rev.
C. J. Underhill. Reynolds Post attended
in a body. The interment was at Village
cemetery.

CLOSING NIGHT OF FAIR.

"Gone Abroad" Presented Before
Large Audience in North Weymouth.

The closing night of the sale and
fair of the Ladies Social Circle of the
Third Universalist church of North
Weymouth held last Thursday eve-
ning in the church vestry, was a de-
cided success. The evening's pro-
gram consisted of the drama, entitled:
"Gone Abroad," enacted by Mrs. Min-
nie Ford, Miss Mary Ford, Miss Ruth
Blake and Miss Ina Leinonen. Read-
ings were given by Miss Helen Cor-
ridan and vocal solos by Miss Flora
MacDonald were highly enjoyed. The
sketch, "A Difference In Clocks" was
given by H. H. Joy and Mrs. Elbert
Ford. An orchestra of North Wey-
mouth musicians furnished music.

Mrs. Abbie Jordan, Miss Lizzie
Fisher, Mrs. George Nash, Mrs. Frank
Kittredge and Mrs. Joshua Holbrook
and Mrs. George Ames, and a corps of
ladies of the circle had charge of the
well stocked sales tables.

How Prussia Was Reforested.

There was no need of celebrating Ar-
bor day in Prussia in the days when
Friedrich Wilhelm I. was king, for that
monarch had a plan all his own by
which he replenished the forests and
kept the country well supplied with
fruit trees.

According to Das Buch fur Alle, the
king, having observed that there was
a great dearth of fruit and oak trees
in Prussia and not being willing to
undertake the tremendous expense of
reforesting the country himself issued
an order to all clergymen that, after
June 21, 1720, they should refuse to
perform any marriage ceremony unless
the groom could produce evidence that
he had just planted six fruit trees and
an equal number of oaks. If it was in
winter or in the middle of a dry sum-
mer, when plants would not grow, the
groom had to produce and lay aside a
sum of money sufficient to cover the
cost of the trees and promise to plant
the required number when fall or
spring came.

The edict worked wonders. The next
generation in Prussia had no lack of
fruit and oak trees.

Naming a Novel.

"The thing to do," said the literary
man, "is to call your novel after the
name of the leading character."

"Why?" asked the youngest novel-
ist.

"Because the best and the most suc-
cessful novels always have such
names," the other replied. "Take the
great novelists. The greatest book of
each gets its title from the leading
character's name."

"Instances are easy to give. What
is the best novel of Dickens? It is
'David Copperfield.' What is the best
novel of Thackeray? It is 'Henry Es-
mond.' What is the best novel of
Scott? It is 'Ivanhoe.' What is the
best novel of Thomas Hardy? 'Tess
of the D'Urbervilles.' Of George Mere-
dith? 'The Ordeal of Richard Feverel.'
Of Rider Haggard? 'Allan Quater-
main.' Of Tolstoy? 'Anna Karenina.'"
—New York Post.

Only One Athens Now.

There is and has been for many cen-
turies only one Athens. But antiquity
knew no fewer than nine cities or
towns of that name in various parts of
Greece, and even in the time of Plau-
tus it was sometimes felt necessary to
distinguish the great one as "Attic
Athens." It was natural that Greek
cities should take their name from
Athena, the goddess of wisdom, war-
like prowess and skill in the arts of
life, who, according to some legends,
herself founded the City of the Violent
Crown. Others ascribed the naming
of the city to Theseus or other mythi-
cal kings. The "s" of the termination
is a real plural, for the city was given
a plural name (Athenai), as being made
up of several constituent parts.—Lon-
don Chronicle.

Waste Labor.

Lady of the House—"Say, Dinah,
did you clean the fish?" Dinah—"Law,
no, missus! Why should Ah clean dat
fish? He done lib all his life in de
wattah."—Puppet.

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BOYS WANTED—At Bradley Fertilizer Works, Fort Point. 50-51

FOR SALE—A Williams No. 2 typewriter, in good condition. A bargain for \$5. P. B. Carroll, South Weymouth. 51-52

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FOR SALE—A White Wyandotte cockerels, royal strain, well matured, vigorous birds. Will make excellent breeders. May be seen at 27 Front St., Weymouth. A. Warren Clapp. 51-52

FOR SALE—Single comb Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. Mrs. J. F. Otis, 81 High Street, East Weymouth. 52-53

FOR SALE—A Square Piano, formerly used at the Town Hall; will be sold by the Selectmen of Weymouth. Any member of the board is authorized to sell the piano for \$50 or to receive proposals for the same. The piano may be seen at the warehouse of the late Albert Wilder. By order of the Selectmen. 40-41

TO LET—On Elm Knoll road, East Braintree, 2 new cottage houses, just completed. All modern conveniences, desirable location, 4 minutes to two railroad stations, few steps to street cars. Apply at 170 Commercial street, East Braintree, or at Kemp's Drug Store, Washington square, Weymouth. 41-42

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—Paramount pictures, the best ever, at Bates' opera house, Wednesday and Saturday evenings.—Adv't.

—D. H. Clancy, Undertaker, office 28 Vine street. Tel.—Adv't.

—The Fairmount Cemetery circle will meet next week with Mrs. Charles Denbroeder, Broad street, on Friday, March 17 at 2:30 P. M. Last meeting before the fair.

—Received a new lot of Bates Street shirts at C. R. Denbroeder's Clothing store.—Adv't.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brett of Campello spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George F. Farrar of 53 Laurel street.

—The Fairmount Cemetery circle were entertained at the home of Mrs. B. S. Lovell on Station avenue last Friday afternoon. Work in preparation for the coming fair and sale was taken up.

—J. Otis Bates of the firm of Bates & Humphrey, who has been away from the store the past week on account of a throat trouble is at his place of business again.

—Elvin H. Raymond of 24 Shawmut street is out and around again after a four weeks' lay off on account of grippe.

—John T. Dizer of the Massachusetts Agricultural college is spending the greater part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dizer of 108 Middle street. Mr. Dizer, with a number of other classmates, is visiting the large nurseries around Boston, getting a line on how the floriculture business is run.

—Monday morning the George Strong Co. commenced work under the power of the engine which has been put into first class repair.

—The annual meeting of the East Weymouth Cemetery association held at the Savings Bank building on the evening of March 1, was adjourned to meet at the same place on Wednesday evening, the 15th, and a large attendance of owners of lots is desired.

—Mrs. Edward P. Hunt of 718 Broad street, leaves today (Friday) for a visit with friends in New York and later going to Philadelphia.

—The Albermarle 500 Club met with Mrs. Dr. Fred L. Doucette at her home, 667 Broad street, last evening.

—Mrs. William C. Earle, 60 High street, entertained the Inasmuch Circle of Kings' Daughters at her home on Wednesday. This was an all day meeting with lunch served at noon.

—Mrs. Parker L. Tirrell of 123 High street is spending the week in New York with Mr. Tirrell who recently was appointed manager of the New York office of his firm and incidentally looking over locations for a future residence.

—Mrs. Winslow M. Tirrell is able to be out again after being confined to the house for the past week.

—Paul Humphrey is attending school again after a period of sickness.

—The many friends of Mrs. Arthur Gardner are pleased to see her out again after her recent illness.

—Mrs. Andrew H. Strout had charge of the meeting of the Woman's Missionary society connected with the Congregational church held last Friday afternoon. Papers on the subject were presented by Mrs. Lewis Denbroeder, Mrs. Jacob F. Loud and Mrs. William C. Earle. Miss Lillian Keene read a letter from the missions in China.

—The W. L. C. will hold a whist party at Moose hall on Monday evening, March 13th.—Adv't.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes
Miss Hazel Cann is to be the leader of the Epworth League meeting Sunday evening. Topic, "The Urgency of a Great Task."

Congregational Church Notes.
The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' Social Union will be held in the church Wednesday evening, March 15, in charge of Mrs. Wendall T. Dizer. A double quartette, violinist and reader from the Roxbury High school of Practical Arts will give a musical and literary entertainment under the direction of Fred V. Garey. Admission will be 10 cents. Cake and candy will be for sale.—Adv't.

The Senior C. E. society will hold its regular meeting at 6 o'clock on Sunday. Leader, A. Herman Gardner. Subject, "The Causes of Failures in Life."

The annual meeting of the Ladies Social Union will be held Friday afternoon, March 17, at 3 o'clock in the ladies' parlor of the church. Important business for the coming year is to be discussed and a large attendance is desired.

The Junior C. E. society meeting will

be held next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Come and enjoy the Welfare service next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

LOVELL'S CORNER

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leach will entertain the Improvement Association at their home next Tuesday evening March fourteenth.

—Mrs. Caroline Tirrell has been ill at her home for the past two weeks.

—A number of the members of the Ladies Aid went to Quincy last Thursday to give Mrs. Mary Hawes a surprise visit in honor of her birthday. Mrs. Hawes is spending the winter with her daughter Mrs. Fred Torrey.

—Miss Louise Poole entertained her friends at Pratt's hall Thursday evening.

—Miss Susie Clarke was given a surprise party in Pratt's hall Saturday evening. Games were played, refreshments served and an orchestra furnished music for dancing.

—Rev. Karl Thompson has been spending the week in Boston.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth league will be held in the vestry of the Porter church Friday night at seven o'clock.

—Monday night friends from East Weymouth and this place gave Harry Sample a very pleasant surprise party at Pratt's hall.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects, the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

Editor Gazette—

The situation in Ward 5 at the present time seems to be that the citizens of that ward have secured a vote for a new schoolhouse, but without a lawful site for the building.

We from other parts of the town who followed the advice of false leaders and voted for the so called Tirrell lot in direct defiance of state law have done the people of South Weymouth an injustice.

Talks with prominent people of that section since the town meeting show that the majority of the voters of South Weymouth do not want the site selected and do not approve of the questionable methods used by a certain faction to vote \$1,500 more for a piece of land than the law allows.

The legislature has just passed a law to prevent citizens from unloading land on the town at exorbitant prices. It is a good law, and there is absolutely no chance of getting the legislature to revoke it.

The selectmen or interested parties should call a special town meeting to rectify the error, otherwise Ward 5 will not get a new school this year.

How much longer are we who attend town meetings going to follow the theory that a big noise carries the most intelligence behind it? JUSTICE.

TENTH COMMUNITY WELFARE SERVICE.

Gounod's "Gallia" presented by Congregational Church Choir.

In the Congregational church, East Weymouth on Sunday evening in the tenth of the series of 20 Community Welfare services being conducted by the church, the cantata "Gallia" by the French composer Gounod was presented to an appreciative audience of 300 people. The presentation was under the direction of Miss Ethel Freeman Raymond with Mrs. Franklin P. Whitten, soprano soloist. Those in the chorus were Mrs. Arthur A. Corthell and Miss Elizabeth I. Taylor, sopranos; Miss Susie E. Raymond, Mrs. Styles A. Fisk, Miss Mildred W. Newcomb, Miss Grace N. Taylor, and Miss S. Evelyn Nash, altos; Fred V. Garey, Harold W. Raymond, LaForrest Lincoln and Arthur T. Rousseau, tenors and C. Will Bailey, William A. Hodges, Joseph E. Sampson, Norman E. Dizer, Emerson R. Dizer, bass.

Rev. Edward T. Ford conducted the devotional exercises and praise service and gave a short account of the life of the writer of the cantata and how it came about that he wrote it.

Next Sunday evening in the eleventh meeting of the series Dr. Ford will give one of his straight talks on, "Scepticism, the way in and the way out." A 6 piece orchestra under the direction of Miss Theodora Keith will play. All are invited.

Weymouth Board of Trade.

The regular meeting of the Board of Trade was postponed until next Wednesday evening on account of the inclement weather, there not being a quorum present. An informal discussion was held and the Sewerage system question was decided as a good subject for discussion at the next meeting. A full attendance is desired as this is a very important question for Weymouth.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends and to the boys of Weymouth Center for the kind acts of sympathy to Reynolds Higgins during his long illness and for the kindly remembrance and beautiful floral tributes which lightened the burden of sorrow that came to us in the death of our dearly beloved son and brother.

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WEYMOUTH AND EAST BRAINTREE

—Paramount pictures, the best ever, at Bates' Opera House, Wednesday and Saturday evenings.—Adv't.

—Long Whist club will hold its weekly party in Long's hall, Braintree on Friday evening, Mar. 10. Among the souvenirs will be wicker chairs, couch hammocks, wool blankets, parlor desks, rugs and many other useful and valuable articles.—Adv't.

—Edward J. Lukeman has taken the position of bookkeeper at the Rice & Hutchins shoe factory, South Braintree.

—Mr. Brown and Mr. Kennedy of the Welsbach Street Lighting Company accompanied Mr. Bond of the Old Colony Gas Company to the Whitman Board of Trade meeting last Monday evening, at which time gas street lighting was considered by the Board. The gas installation on South ave. was spoken very highly of and recommended as a need of the town.

—Don't forget the mock initiation and dance, auspices of Crescent Lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. in Oddfellows opera house on the evening of Thursday, March 23 at 8 o'clock. Tickets on sale at 35 cents at W. M. Tirrell's store, East Weymouth. Come and have a good laugh.—Adv't.

—Mrs. William B. Gutterson is home from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Burr at Jacksonville, Fla.

—Mr. and Mrs. John L. Trainor of Gardiner, Me., have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Adelaide Trainor of Front street.

—Miss Susan Trufant, who was taken suddenly and seriously ill last Saturday is reported as improving.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Jonas Perkins school association was held at Abraham Lincoln school hall Tues 'ay evening.

—Meredith, the 12 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Trufant sustained a broken collar bone while sliding down hill a few days ago.

—There has been a number of good catches of smelts through the ice on the river this week. Eels are reported as very scarce.

—Thomas A. Watson left Monday for Washington, D. C., where he and Graham Bell, his associate as inventors of the telephone were the guests of the National Geographical society. Mrs. Watson accompanied him as far as Baltimore and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Winternitz. Tomorrow Mrs. and Mrs. Watson will go to Jacksonville, Fla., for a month's stay.

—James Hollywood is home from a visit to relatives in Chester, Penn. He called on Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Wellington at Newark, N. J., on the return trip.

—Morrill Allen, who has been on the sick list for some weeks has gone to Rutland, Mass., for a month's stay.

—Bagnell and Watts, who have recently purchased the Cass Potato Chip Manufacturing Company, have started to put this business on an efficient basis by doing away with the old coal frying caldrons and placing modern high powdered gas burners in use. This will not only do away with the use of coal for fuel and the removal of ashes, but will make their establishment free from unnecessary dirt and assure the public of a clean product.

The many friends of Messrs. Bagnell and Watts wish them every success in their new enterprise.

—Clarence Curry clerk at the Lincoln square market who has been seriously ill is now able to be about again.

—Mrs. J. Sidney Smith of Montclair formerly of this town who has been seriously ill is now reported as improving.

—H. Franklin Perry is confined to his home on Front street with an attack of the grip and acute indigestion.

—The Nonpareil Musical club held a meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Trask Summit street. There were piano solos by Miss Alice Trask and Mrs. Fred Freed and vocal solos by Paul Slattery. Following the musical program dancing was enjoyed. A salad supper was served. The members of the club presented Mrs. Trask a handsome picture.

—The Village Cemetery association will meet next Wednesday afternoon.

—"God or the World? Which?" will be the subject of Rev. William Hyde's sermon at Trinity church, next Sunday morning and the evening subject will be "The War in book of Joel."

—On Tuesday evening, March 14 Mr. Hyde will begin his Lenten addresses at St. Paul's church, Brockton, which will be given on Tuesdays until Easter.

—The \$200 which was left as a legacy to Trinity Episcopal church in the will of Mrs. Harriett Tucker Prescott, was recently paid to the church by the executor of the will and at a vestry meeting a vote of thanks was passed for the gift.

—The last vesper service of the season at the First Congregational church, Braintree, will be held next Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m. The Pilgrim male quartette of Boston will sing.

Union Church Notes.
Morning worship at 10:30. The pastor will speak on "Our Sphere of Service."

Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock. The boys who attended the Conference at Rockland, last week, will give reports of the meeting after the lesson hour.

Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject "A Parable of God's Fatherhood."

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THRILLING EXPERIENCE.

Two Weymouth Chauffeurs Have Fine Trip in Snow.

Experience Plus! This is what two of our Weymouth Chauffeurs surely gained in one of their three day trips last week.

Charles Goodspeed and Joseph Sewell, all rigged out in their big fur coats, mittens and felt boots, with lots of sleep stored away, in anticipation of much leisure time to spend in the "movies" etc., on the trip, left Hollis' garage a few mornings ago enroute to the State House, where they were to pick up a party of Senators and take them on a trip down the cape. It was some trip.

They left Boston at 10 o'clock, Goodspeed piloting the Packard and Sewell was behind the wheel of the Pope.

Everything went along fine until Centerville and the vicinity of Wareham was reached. Then the trouble began.

First, it is said that Charlie Goodspeed nearly put the hotel in Centerville out of business with his appetite. This difficulty fixed up, the two chauffeurs discovered that the weather-man had handed out considerable more snow in the vicinity of Plymouth and surrounding towns, and the first night Sewell's motor got hot and Goodspeed had to wake up several of the townspeople to get some water to cool the hot motor off. In some places the snow and slush was two feet deep and Sewell says he thought his car was going to blow up several times.

Wednesday morning after Goodspeed's appetite had again been appeased, the party again started out to brave the elements. First two telephone posts saved the party a ditching and finally at seven o'clock that night the party put up at Cotuit, all pretty much tired out—that is all but Goodspeed—he is a bear for the movies, so he hustled Sewell off to the Moving Picture show in Hyannis. On account of the storm, there were only six others in the hall besides Goodspeed and Sewell, but Charlie opined that he wanted to see a show after paying his good money, so a show was put on and the small but enthusiastic audience were greatly entertained.

Thursday, the Senators having visited the places they started for on Wednesday, the start for Boston was made. More trouble. All the way, snow, snow, snow. Goodspeed plowed ahead with the Packard, breaking in a path for Sewell. That night about seven o'clock they reached the Riverside House in Marshfield, after two hours riding in making one mile of headway. Sewell got lost, and a pung was hired to go back and find him. Shovels were borrowed and most of the mile was shoveled first. Charlie says that he doesn't want to see another shovel in his life.

However when the Riverside House was reached, Charlie forgot all about his sad experience, when the lobster, steaks etc., were served. About ten o'clock the autos were again boarded and about 11:30 the party reached Hingham depot, where the senators decided the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. looked pretty good and boarded the last train for Boston.

Sewell, nearly played out, with a pair of mighty sore arms, Goodspeed with a keen remembrance of the fine banquet of the trip, pulled into the garage about 1 A. M. Charlie says he would like to go again right away, but Sewell is very non-committal on the subject. Anyway, such trips as these are surely experiences Plus for the winter chauffeurs.

MERCHANTS' WEEK.

Plans Nearly Complete for Big Week.

Merchant's Week plans are booming along at a fast pace. Over \$300 has been pledged and in a few days now the week's program will be announced. Most of the booth space has been spoken for, the building is being put in first class shape and a fine exhibition is promised. In connection with the Merchant's Week, the Old Colony Gas Company is making elaborate plans to have its Gas Week Plans the best yet and the lectures, white way, etc., will make Weymouth Landing and East Braintree a mighty busy place from April 17 to 22. Full details of the doings of the committee in charge as well as the completed program will appear in an early issue of the Gazette.

WOMEN TANGLE VOTE

Precinct 3 Official Hands Out Men's Ballots to Female Voters and Slip Gets By Other Officials. Recount to be Held.

Weymouth faces the prospect of having to hold its election of last Monday all over again, as a result of six women, who were supposed to vote only on school committee positions, having been handed men's ballots and, may have marked them for all officers and dropped them in the ballot box.

The mix-up occurred in the Engine House in Ward 3, and the story runs as follows: James E. Pray, who handed out the ballots, stepped out about eight o'clock Monday morning to get some breakfast and left Fred Sullis in charge of giving out the ballots. This was Sullis' first year in the capacity as an election officer, and when six women entered shortly after Pray's departure, Sullis, either in a moment of absent-mindedness or forgetfulness, handed each of them a ballot "for men only."

The ladies took their ballots and proceeded to the booths, marked their ballots, either for school committee or for the entire list, it is not known which, and marched out, dropping their ballots in the box as a male voter would. The women's ballots were on green paper, about one half the size of the men's ballots which were on white paper, but for some reason or another, the warden or the officer who presides at the ballot box, noticed that the ladies had enjoyed full suffrage with the men, for the first time in the history of the town. When James Pray returned it was discovered that Sullis had made a mistake and the election officers were notified. It was too late then to remedy the error and the election proceeded, with much more watchfulness on the part of the election officials in Ward 3.

Monday night when it was found that Joseph Kelley, candidate for Selectman, had been defeated by George L. Newton of North Weymouth by only five votes, Kelley's friends were outspoken in their belief that the six votes cast by the ladies were an assistance in giving Newton the

office over their man. Kelley did not wish to make any statement at that time concerning the mix-up.

Monday night it was the consensus of opinion about town that it might be in the power of Mr. Kelley and his supporters to have the courts declare the entire election invalid.

Henry V. Cunningham, chairman of the State Board of Ballot Commissioners was told of the voting on men's ballots on Monday night and said: "Inasmuch as this is a question affecting a town election, it is not one with which our board has to do. I do not think it would be necessary to regard the election as invalid unless it were shown that the six ballots had the effect of deciding it. A candidate defeated by five or six votes might be warranted in taking the matter to the courts for the purpose of having the election declared illegal, but I am not prepared to express an opinion concerning the probable outcome of such action."

In regard to the validity of the election a prominent lawyer was asked about the case on Tuesday evening and in his first off hand opinion stated that he believed the election would be found invalid by the court. He stated that he believed that the petition to have the election pronounced invalid would have to be passed by the Supreme Judicial Court. Whether the matter will be taken to the courts or not has not been decided and nothing in this regard will be done at least until after the recount, and prominent Kelley men state that in all probability this angle of the settling of the case will not be taken up at all.

On Wednesday Mr. Kelley presented a petition to the Registrars of Voters for a recount of the vote.

The Registrars of Voters met Wednesday and it was decided to hold the recount Saturday night March 18 at the Town Offices in East Weymouth, at seven o'clock. The recount will be for Selectmen and Overseers of Poor and for School committee.

COMMUNITY SERVICE.

Large Crowd at East Weymouth Meeting Last Sunday Night.

Sunday evening there was a large attendance at the Community service in the Congregational church, East Weymouth. Rev. Edward T. Ford had charge of the meeting and led the devotional exercises. Dr. Ford gave one of his "Straight Talks," on "Skepticism and the Way Out." An orchestra under the direction of Miss Theodore Keith, cornetist played "Festival March," "Evening Bells," "The Spring Song" and "Chapel in the Mountains." The orchestra was composed of Miss Mary Keith, Miss Pauline Bergeron and Norman E. Dozel, violins, Mrs. Florence Gillardet, trombone, Frank Rand, clarinet, Howard Richards, traps and Fred V. Garey, organist.

On next Sunday evening there will be held a strictly Welfare service for the community when Dr. Merrill E. Champion, South Eastern, Mass. District Officer of the State Board of Health will give an illustrated lecture on The Wear and Tear Diseases of Middle Life and how they may be prevented or postponed.

This will be of a material benefit to all and those in charge if the series are glad that they can give to the public an opportunity of this kind.

Funeral of Frederick T. Hunt.

The funeral of Frederick T. Hunt took place at his home 11 Commercial street, East Weymouth, last Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The floral remembrances were many, testifying to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Rev. William Hyde of the Trinity Episcopal Church of Weymouth conducted the services. The bearers were George L. Barnes, William C. Earle, William Binnian, Douglas M. Easton, Allen Vining, James Brown, George Baker and Charles Price. The interment was in the North Weymouth cemetery.

The Exception.

"I never buy anything without seeing it." "I do. I paid the Electric Light company for a bunch of kilowatts this morning, and I've never laid eyes on one of them."

STORM INTERFERES.

Wessagusset Club Annual Ball a Frost, as Far as Crowd Went. Those Present Have Enjoyable Evening.

The Wessagusset Club of North Weymouth, which had made elaborate plans for their annual ladies night, to be held at Masonic Temple on Wednesday evening had not taken into consideration the weather man. He certainly put a crimp into the arrangements, for the storm was too much for the Bay State Railroad, as no cars ran from North Weymouth to East that night. As most of the members belong in North Weymouth, there were only a few members and guests present, those coming from East Weymouth. Those present sat down to the tables at 8 o'clock, it being evident the rest of the members would not get there. After the banquet, dancing was enjoyed by those present.

Bates & Humphrey, catered for the party and music was furnished by Towers orchestra.

BUTLER CASE.

Disagreement in Industrial Board Over Matter. New Trial Likely.

The Industrial Accident Board has filed the result of its deliberation in the matter of the liability of the town in the death of Patrick Butler, the main question being—was said Butler a laborer, workman, or mechanic. The Accident Board has filed a majority and minority report. The majority, three, say that Mr. Butler was a laborer and the town is indebted to his widow \$10 a week for 400 weeks from date of accident. The minority, two, say that deceased cannot be classed a laborer and consequently there is no law which makes the town liable for any damages.

In the mean time the Superior Court in a quite similar case has decided that the injured party was not a laborer and as the Board before whom was the case, is not agreed in regard to the matter it will probably go to a new trial.

TOWN BUSINESS.

Selectmen's Business and Other Departments of Work and Expenditures.

The newly elected, but without a change board of Selectmen and also Overseer of the poor met on Tuesday and organized with the choice of E. W. Hunt as chairman and Bradford Hawes, clerk.

The Selectmen appointed A. P. Worthen Esq. as Town Council and Charles J. McMorro, constable with power to serve papers in civil suits.

Voted to ask the appropriation committee to meet and transfer money from the reserve fund to help out the snow money which seems to be exhausted.

A petition was received from F. Wilbur Low, and others asking the Selectmen to call a special Town Meeting to reconsider the action taken under Article 9 of the last Town meeting whereby the town voted to purchase the so-called Tirrell lot for a new schoolhouse in Ward 5. The petition was laid on the table for future action.

The following list of special police was appointed: Frank D. Sherman, Hosea Farmer, Charles L. Tinkham, James L. Brennan, Geo. H. Smith, Isaac H. Walker, Asa I. Binney, John W. Vinson, Edwin J. Moore, Bertie S. Loud, Arthur S. Blanchard, Newland Holmes, Willie B. Lord, William J. Gaughan, James P. Maguire, Herman S. Pratt, Walter S. Proke, John A. Carter, John W. S. Wolfe, Charles W. Barrows, William A. Tirrell, Wm. H. Hall, Charles N. Tardner.

The Trustees of Tufts Library met at the library building yesterday afternoon and organized with the choice of Clarence P. Whittle, president, and Francis M. Drury, clerk.

Rev. John B. Holland, James H. Flint and Louis A. Cook were appointed as committees on books, and Rev. J. B. Holland, E. W. Hunt and Dr. William F. Hathaway, committee on supplies.

Miss Abbie L. Lord was elected librarian and Miss Alice E. Blanchard and Logan C. Richards, assistants.

The Electric Light committee has met and organized with the choice of Sidney G. L. Tardner as chairman and Winslow M. Tirrell, clerk. The matter of additional lights was discussed and it was voted to install 60 new incandescent lights.

Police Notes.

Chief Pratt is busy planning out the seasons work, the increased appropriation for the police department granted at the annual town meeting allowing him to maintain a more efficient traffic squad during the coming season for the safety of pedestrians and automobiles alike.

All the officers and constables were on duty at the several polling places in town throughout election day.

Officer Fitzgerald took a prisoner to the State Farm at Bridgewater last Saturday, Officer Nash having taken the man to headquarters Friday from North Weymouth.

OLD TIME SHIP BUILDER DEAD.

J. E. Taylor Passes Away at Age of 82 Years.

Justin E. Taylor, one of the old time builders of clipper ships, died March 12 at the home of his daughter in Abington, at the age of 82.

He was born in Medford, being the eldest son of John and Eliza (James) Taylor. His education was obtained in the public schools of Medford. As for generations, his ancestors had been engaged in shipbuilding, it was not surprising that his desires led him in the same direction. He entered the yard of his father, on the Mystic River in Medford, and the two were associated in shipbuilding, first in Medford, and later in Chelsea, and East Boston, until his father retired from an active business life. He then continued building in East Boston, the last of his vessels being the bark Cheshire and the ships Iceburg and Panay. His vessels were built from models of his own design, and were used mainly in the East India trade. He retired from business in 1895, and removed to Weymouth Heights, where his declining years were spent.

In 1858 he married Jennie M. Melcolm of Chelsea, who died three years ago, their married life extending over a period of nearly fifty-five years.

He is survived by two sons and four daughters, also two sisters and one brother.

Poor Satisfaction.

After trying all the advice she could read how to reduce, all the satisfaction Miss Hortense McGhee got was to have her friends look her over and say, "How thin you're getting, dear! Aren't you feeling well?"

Weymouth Elects Town Officers.

Like Weather Prophets Some Were Right.

Morning weather conditions considered Weymouth cast a fair vote on Monday. Some things happened which were wise and some which were otherwise and for the first time in many years the whole six precincts got onto the water wagon.

The result of the vote:

TOWN CLERK.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
John A. Raymond	Blanks	161	200	382	157	200	220	1240
		49	66	171	52	74	92	504
Totals		210	266	493	209	274	292	1744

TREASURER.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
John H. Stetson	Blanks	158	189	308	157	213	183	1209
		63	77	184	52	61	109	585
Totals		210	266	493	209	274	292	1744

SELECTMEN.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
Ralph P. Burrell		110	118	154	121	189	89	761
Henry E. Hanley		154	135	195	125	152	233	1054
Bradford Hawes		148	137	175	120	171	184	894
E. W. Hunt		137	115	224	113	139	104	832
Joseph Kelley		73	129	224	75	88	184	778
Geo. L. Newton		157	130	142	105	128	116	778
H. Franklin Perry		20	82	224	54	65	84	509
Burton B. Wright		53	99	179	111	125	80	647
Blanks		198	325	348	212	313	458	2452
Totals		1050	1330	2465	1045	1370	1460	8780

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
Ralph P. Burrell		107	115	154	117	189	86	762
Henry E. Hanley		158	135	195	125	152	233	1018
Bradford Hawes		139	134	169	124	169	180	865
Edward W. Hunt		130	113	221	109	134	99	806
Joseph Kelley		76	126	214	78	86	174	758
Geo. L. Newton		151	123	141	100	119	118	755
H. Franklin Perry		30	85	212	51	63	83	434
Burton B. Wright		49	99	167	105	119	75	614
Blanks		231	334	399	246	350	492	2654
Totals		1030	1330	2465	1045	1370	1460	8730

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
Winslow M. Tirrell	Blanks	160	185	304	154	192	195	1190
		50	81	189	55	82	97	554
Totals		210	266	493	209	274	292	1744

ASSESSOR FOR THREE YEARS.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
John F. Dwyer		147	173	363	151	183	203	1319
Frank H. Torrey	Blanks	101	164	267	131	155	148	1036
		112	195	358	136	210	234	1243
Totals		420	532	986	418	548	584	3458

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
Nathan O. Cushing	Blanks	130	155	263	144	167	188	1057
		59	111	238	45	107	188	799
Totals		210	266	493	209	274	292	1744

WATER COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
George W. Perry		144	171	268	137	161	165	1046
Blanks		66	95	225	72	113	127	698
Totals		210	266	493	209	274	292	1744

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
Harriet B. Batchelder		55	94	320	84	92	97	742
Elmer E. Leonard		146	133	208	119	175	149	930
Frederick D. Nichols		122	107	184	103	125	109	750
Blanks		107	199	376	124	188	239	1233
Totals		430	533	1088	430	580	594	3655

AUDITORS.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
Frank N. Blanchard		142	153	260	123	160	145	999
William H. Pratt		146	158	247	137	160	139	987
Winfield S. Wells		138	147	257	135	159	131	967
Blanks		204	340	715	216	343	461	2279
Totals		630	798	1479	627	822	876	5232

TRUSTEES OF TUFTS LIBRARY FOR THREE YEARS.		PRECINCT						Total
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
James H. Flint		137	145	281	121	157	136	977
Frederick T. Hunt		135	124	216	113	152	112	852
Clarence P. Whittle		131	143	288	127	154	132	975
Blanks and transients		227	386	694	266	359	496	2428
Totals		630	798	1479	627	822	876	5232

Totals		630	798	1479	627	822	876	523
BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THREE YEARS.								
George E. Emerson		147	160	263	132	171	151	102
Blanks		63	106	230	77	103	141	75
Totals		210	266	493	209	274	292	177

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No farm should be without fruit. A farmer who has a taste for fruit growing, and land suitable for it, should have his orchards of such fruits as his local market calls for and of such varieties as succeed best in his locality.

The Aylesbury stands at the head of the domestic races of ducks bred in England, probably because of its rapid growth and early maturity. It was the first white domestic duck bred, formerly known as the White English, and in the early part of the last century it became known as the Aylesbury.

Aside from the fertilizing elements contained in manure, it has beneficial mechanical effects upon practically all soils. When properly applied, manure improves the physical condition of the soil by increasing its water-holding capacity, aeration, and temperature.

The young pigs must be kept warm, dry and have plenty of sunshine until several weeks old in order to do well. Few sows that get plenty of exercise and are not too fat will need help in farrowing but it is well to be present to give help if necessary and to keep any pigs from being crushed.

It will pay to devote a little time for the next few weeks to the small fruits; rake the mulch from the strawberry beds and give the plants a chance for an early start; then look over the currant and other fruit bearing bushes and trim out all the stalks which are more than two years old.

There is no system of education that can equal the work of the farmer himself in experimenting, as soils differ, and work done on one farm may not apply to another. When a farmer begins to experiment he finds out where he made mistakes, and when mistakes can be avoided the greatest difficulties will have been overcome.

Cities without well developed country districts are a structure without foundation. A tendency to create cities without developing farms is a menace to the welfare of the Nation. No Nation can survive and permit its country districts to go backward.

Now is the time to apply fertilizers to strawberry beds, removing the mulch for that purpose, and covering the plants again after applying the fertilizer. There will be some root growth, even in winter, and the plants will begin to prepare for work before any signs of growth may be noticed.

In mating the first quality to select in either male or female is vigor. It matters little how fine the birds may be, if they lack vigor the chickens will be difficult to rear and few be worth the trouble of rearing. Without vigor, beauty is of small moment. Indeed, beauty is largely dependent upon this foundation quality. Don't sell an inferior bird alive. You can't afford to have your stock advertised by such specimens.

Varieties must be found or bred which will make a rapid growth and mature in the short period between the last killing spring frost and the first killing fall frost. When man aids nature by selecting and preserving seed only from individuals which show promise, in several years the habits and characteristics can be changed considerably, and perhaps a variety which at first failed to mature may be so changed that it becomes suitable.

If your stock is run down, improve it. Get rid of all poor stuff. Don't be afraid to cull and cull closely. Weed out weakly undersized hens. Say that you have a mixed flock, with a fair sprinkling of barred hens or any color that is in close resemblance to some of the pure breeds, and yet you know they are not purebred; there is nothing to hinder you from making those barred hens, or the buff, or white—whatever you may have a majority of—the basis for an improved flock that will come up to the purebred in size and looks, with possibly greater laying power and strength because of the late crosses in their blood.

The poultry business has only recently risen from the obscurity of merely "keeping hens" and has taken its rightful place as a properly qualified industry. We are a few paces behind in economics, but we are "comin'." There is much printed and said about poultry as a fad, as a means of getting interested in outdoor life and of giving one some live interest outside of shop; but no practical man or woman can remain interested for any length of time

in a fad that shows no profit. Somehow the chink of the silver is needed to keep enthusiasm up to the proper level. So the man who is looking to poultry for his living and the one who is interested in it merely as a fad are both asking the same question: "Will it pay?"

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The boys were bragging about their parents. "I bet my father is richer than your father," said one. "He has to pay lots and lots of money for taxes every year."

"That's nothing," retorted the other. "My father is so rich that he can afford to hire a lawyer to fix things so he don't have to pay any taxes."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Suspicious Document.

"All this here business education among women is tough on us cooks." "How so?" "The last lady I worked for gave me a reference written in shorthand. What did she say about me, I wonder?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Cutting Stovepipe.

Use a can opener to cut stovepipe if you have no large pair of shears. The can opener answers the purpose admirably.—Popular Science Monthly.

Inevitable.

"I saw stars in that railroad collision." "Naturally, when the cars were telescoped."—Baltimore American.

Without courage there cannot be truth, and without truth there can be no virtue.

Courting in Spain.

In sunny Spain etiquette is so very restrictive in the matter of courtship that it is a wonder that young people ever manage to get married at all. Even when, after many difficulties, the engagement is accomplished, the parents have a deciding voice in fixing the date, and, as they prefer long engagements, the wedding day is usually fixed somewhere in the dim future.

The best man and maid of honor are expected not only to fulfill the usual duties, but to contribute—sometimes very substantially—to the expenses of the wedding feast. Wedding cake is unknown, but instead packets of sugared almonds are distributed among the guests and sent by post to those who are unable to be present.—Kansas City Star.

The Kind.

"There is one class of men who are always ready to help another at a pinch." "I know. Policemen."—Baltimore American.

Not Unlike It.

He—Did you tell Bones I had a head like a tack? She—No. I said you were a man of great penetration.—Harvard Lampoon.

The Modern Church.

A professional whistler and a moving-picture show are the latest devices employed by a church in Seattle to lure sinners to repentance and point the way to salvation. While the whistler is somewhat of an innovation, the moving-picture idea has been used for some time in at least one church in this state. Evidently the churches have been forced to the conclusion that the average sinner insists on being entertained while he is being saved.—San Francisco Chronicle.

No Longer Menace to Humans.

Anthrax as an animal disease has been carefully studied of recent years, but its occasional appearance among human beings has never attracted any attention until recently. Although it is described in most medical text books many physicians are not familiar with its symptoms. This ignorance of the disease is the chief source of danger. With preventive measures and cures that have been perfected within the last few years there is no reason why it should be a menace to human life.

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By the Merciless Waves

By DWIGHT NORWOOD

During the winter of 1914, being in England and desiring to see something of the pan-European war, I crossed the channel to Flanders. But when I got there I was not permitted to go to the scene of conflict. Not caring to return immediately I went to a hotel on the seashore, intending to spend several days there.

The weather was cold, and the channel, stretching out indefinitely toward the northwest, was a gloomy sight to behold. One morning I heard a booming out at sea, but had no knowledge of what it portended. During the day there was always booming on the land north and south of me, and sometimes it came faintly from the east. These sounds continually reminded me that I was surrounded by war and its consequent distress.

But it was the channel that most affected me. I knew that out there many a merchant crew was sailing in danger of being sent to the bottom of the cold, black waters. Many a submarine crew was dreading lest their vessel become entangled in the enormous wire nets laid by the British trawlers to trap them.

One evening when there was a misty moonlight I was tempted to go out and walk on the beach. I was warmly clothed and enjoyed the icy air that blew against my cheeks. So enjoyable was my jaunt to me that I walked for an hour toward the north, then was about to turn and retrace my steps when I saw something denser than the surrounding atmosphere a short distance ahead of me.

I stood watching it. A thin cloud that had covered the moon passed from its face, giving a slight increase of light and revealed what seemed to me to be a knot of men huddled together. I had once seen a ship at sea about to founder, and these shadowy beings reminded me of its crew standing together about a mast, doubtless gaining some slight comfort from one another while waiting for the fatal plunge.

Curiosity led me to approach what I saw, and I walked forward. But somehow I got no nearer to them, though they gradually became less indistinct, for by keeping my eyes fixed upon them they became individuals, though confused with one another. Their relative position was that of men discussing some momentous question. Nevertheless I heard no sound, nor could I discern any one of them addressing the rest.

Then it seemed to me that they were all looking toward me, but this was rather their position with reference to one another, for I had no evidence that they were facing me. Immediately after this they began to move away from me. I followed, and since I did not gain on them I hastened my steps. But the faster I walked the quicker they receded. Sometimes it seemed that they were tramping, sometimes that they were moving from me without taking steps.

When at last I saw them, or what they appeared to be, leave the beach and move out on the surface of the water I began to suspect that something was wrong with me. I swung my arms, pinched myself, rubbed my eyes. The group remained in my vision till they had gone a few hundred yards from the shore, then stopped and slowly settled down, it seemed, into the water—either this or they faded before me; I could not tell which.

This was the end of my dream, hallucination or whatever it might be. I waited for some time, peering out to where the men had disappeared, wondering if they would return, but they did not, and I considered it high time that I went back to my hotel. Before doing so I noted the locality that I might know it again. There was a little stream of running fresh water that flowed from a lake or swamp a short distance from the beach.

The next morning after an early breakfast I started to go over my walk of the night before. Soon after leaving the hotel I found myself in an unfrequented region. There was not a house in sight. I walked to the tunnel I had seen and knew that I was where my vision had disappeared. Turning seaward, I scanned the waters. It was ebb tide. The waves were high under a west wind. Presently, after a wave had rolled over a certain point, I saw in the hollow it had left something that looked like the top of a small steamer's smokestack. Another wave passed over it, and when it had moved on I saw the article again.

I had no glass, and the interval between the waves was too brief to enable me to get a good view of it. So far as I could judge, I saw the top of a smokestack of a sunken vessel.

I concluded to return to the hotel and report what I had seen. I made no mention of my vision. After a good deal of talk and many assurances that I had seen evidence of a wreck a tug was sent to examine what I had seen. I was aboard and directed the captain to the point sought. As we approached it he swept the water with a pair of binoculars and presently exclaimed: "It's the periscope of a submarine."

And so it was. It was subsequently raised and proved to be a German torpedo boat. In it were twelve Germans, all dead.

This is the only mention I have ever made of my vision or whatever it was, and to this statement my true name is not appended. I do not care to be considered either a liar or a fool or to have broken down nerves.

A CHANGE OF TACTICS.

How It Worked in the Case of a Discouraged Salesman.

The following method of gaining assurance is told in the American Magazine. It is the experience of a salesman who could not sell his goods because he allowed himself to be discouraged at initial attempts. It has wide application everywhere:

"I am a commercial traveler who conquered the habit of despondency. Every one who sells goods knows how fierce is the competition. When I took this job six years ago it seemed absolutely overwhelming. I didn't sell anything to speak of and made up my mind that I couldn't, though I kept on making the round of the groceries. There seemed to be a thousand salesmen just ahead of me. I grew very bitter at the thousand and everybody else. Whenever I entered a store it was with the firm conviction that I should not get an order. I looked dull-eyed at the merchant and said gloomily:

"Anything in my line?" at the same time reaching for the doorknob. They didn't try to detain me.

"One day in conversation with an old druggist, a shrewd veteran of the road, I opened my heart with a savage complaint about the thousand salesmen, my advance guard. He puffed his cigar a moment, his eyes twinkled and he slapped me on the shoulder.

"I know," he said. "I had 'em ahead of me once. They raised Cain with me until I chased 'em to the rear. Take my advice, boy, and get up to the head of the procession and let the other fellows do the worrying."

"I thought it over, and it dawned on me that it was a question of viewpoint. I had formed a habit of picturing myself at the tail of the line, though in reality we were going in a circle and my position was as good as any. Then I changed my tactics and formed a new habit—the habit of thinking of myself as the leader, the very first man in the territory. Just as an experiment I went out the next day believing that I should get orders. I pulled my order book and pencil the moment I entered a store and began to name certain goods.

"Sugar!" I cried, looking the grocer expectantly in the eye, as much as to say that I could see the empty barrel behind his counter. And the barrel was empty! It worked so well in the first store that I tried more vigorously in the next, and the merchant came down freely. It was almost uncanny the way I guessed the items he needed. I went out on the sidewalk and laughed aloud. And I actually sold more goods that day than I had sold before in three weeks.

"Well, the firm raised my salary instead of firing me, as they had planned to do, and I still insist that I am the first man over the route. I tell you, right habits of thought are worth money—sometimes a fortune."

Spirit of the Home.

I never realized before how rare indeed is the real home—the temple reared to house a family life, with its altar dedicated to parenthood. I saw that it is not enough to have furniture "good," to have colors "safe," not enough to show a pretty, well appointed house to the world. A real home must be a setting for a living, loving, sorrowing and conquering man and woman. It is not enough to study textures, plans and building materials. It is just the old story of the letter and the spirit. The creative spirit can make any home beautiful, but the most letter perfect house is a dead shell unless it houses loving, growing life.—Emily Newell Blair in Countryside Magazine.

The Footmen's Gallery.

There was in one part of the theater where in bygone days smoking was permitted the footmen's gallery, where servants in attendance on masters visiting the theater were admitted free. But the occupants of the footmen's gallery were so noisy and they so frequently hissed out of existence plays that their masters approved of that the privilege was withdrawn, and the gallery became the "shilling gallery," which has kept up to a great extent the traditional privilege of outspoken criticism originally exercised by footmen.—London Chronicle.

Mr. Cumrox Speaks Out.

"Do you approve of slang?" "No," replied Mr. Cumrox. "It's too much trouble. It's as hard to know what slang is permissible as it is to guess the right implement for every course at a big dinner."

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FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1916

Some of our shore residents will be sorry next summer if the high price of gasoline sends the unmodified motorboats back to sail.

Anti-fly campaigns should be launched about now all over the country. Business men, town officials, health departments and the newspapers should get together to co-operate in the extermination of the dreaded disease bearing fly.

Clean Up and Paint Up! This should be everybody's slogan at this season of the year. Spring is most ready to show up on the horizon and everything should be made bright and clean for the forthcoming. What is Weymouth to do this year about cleaning up and painting up? Let's get started early and do it properly in 1916.

With this issue we start volume 50 of the Gazette and in doing so we may be pardoned for a little feeling of pride that the Weymouth Gazette has stood the test of 49 years and today stands as one of the leading weekly publications of the State and Nation.

A single item in the first issue of the Gazette, "There are 60 scholars in the South High School this year," opens up a broad field of reflection to one who has seen the last 49 years of Weymouth life, either in business, society, manufactures or town matters in general.

We have seen the consolidation of high schools and the broadening out in every way of school work, over \$350,000 being expended for new school buildings and school appropriations multiplied by the figure 3.

We have seen space annihilated in town by the coming of the trolley line and telephone; darkness has been overcome by gas and electric lights, in short, it has been 49 years of wonderful development all over the world and Weymouth has to a large extent kept pace with the spirit of the age.

Weymouth has been brought much nearer the great metropolitan center and among other things much closer in touch with the immense circulation of daily papers which find their way to every home two or three editions a day.

In many instances the large increase in the use of city dailies, which are constantly devouring more and more time and space to suburban evils, has had its effect on country weeklies, but the Gazette has met this competition with an effort to give its readers the best possible service and will try and make the last volume of its first half a century the best of the series and worthy of a place in every home and the patronage of every business man in town.

What's the matter with Weymouth? In town meeting the town voted to buy a piece of land for a sum of money which we are told this week is too high and thus the vote is said to be directly against the law in regard to the purchasing of land for public buildings, passed only last year. The farce of the vote at the town meeting becomes more and more apparent each day, as one remembers the vote passed "authorizing Town Counsel A. P. Worthen to get an act passed through the legislature, if necessary, to legalize the purchasing of the land" as the town voted. We send representatives to the House, we elect senators and have a governor to make laws for the best of the towns and cities, and within one year after the law is passed, Weymouth, all by itself, apparently, is in favor of "bucking" this new law for its own convenience. Such action as this is folly—and many a man in the town meeting on Monday, March 6, knew it was folly to pass such a vote.

One man at the meeting said, "there were more lawyers in the town of Weymouth than any other town he knew of for its size," and yet only one, or possibly two, had the courage to get up on the floor of town meeting and tell those who didn't know the law, that the vote was illegal. Town Counsel Worthen stated his side of the question by reading the laws governing the case, but the vote went through just the same. What did the people think—that the law didn't cover Weymouth or could be cast aside, or what? Anyway, from all appearances and from statements heard about town, it will be necessary to have a special town meeting soon to take up the question of the Ward 5 school house lot location for further settlement.

Monday of this week the town was again put up for a quiet smile from other towns around, all because three at least of the election officers in precinct 3 were evidently so used to the job that careful attention was not necessary, or were rather forgetful, and let six women vote on men's ballots. With the women's ballots printed on green paper and only about one third as large as the men's white ballots, the slip was hardly a credit to any of the officers who were concerned in the handling, during the voting, of the several hundred ballots during the day's work.

Such occurrences as the above are becoming altogether too frequent for the uplift and development of the town. Let's wake up—take counsel from those who know more of the law than most of us and regard their opinions with the proper weight and let our election officials profit by the Ward 3 episode on Monday and put their minds on their work the

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JUST LOOKING ROUND

By Observer.

Spring must be most here. I saw a lad in East Weymouth logging a baseball and bat around this week, looking for a place to "knock up a few". It's a little early yet to try out the old mit.

I guess I'm not up to the rules and regulations regarding the running of our street cars. Last week Monday the Monday club met in Odd Fellow's hall East Weymouth. There were a dozen or fifteen Braintree people all out on Cottage street to take the 4.30 car to Braintree. When the car came along, it went right by this group of people, at top speed and the ladies climbed aboard the car following, which was marked South Weymouth. When they reached Lincoln square the entire Braintree party were forced to alight and board the car ahead, which was the car that had passed them at Cottage street. Something loose somewhere, as the company gained nothing by this extra delay and it was quite an inconvenience to the ladies.

The many friends of Chief Faxon Billings of the Quincy Fire Department, who has been one of the best friends Weymouth has had in late years in serious fires, were decidedly shocked and saddened the early part of the week to learn of the serious burning sustained by the genial Chief's two and a half year old daughter Merna. The little girl was lighting a josh stick found in her grandfather's home and her dress caught fire. Mrs. Billings the child's mother was badly burned in extinguishing the fire. The efficient and popular fire fighter was must upset over the accident. His many friends in this town hope for a speedy recovery for the little girl.

If you are an election official, keep alive on the job, its the best way.

That South Weymouth tangle is a dandy. Looks like a special Town Meeting to settle the question.

Don't forget, in new excitement, that Merchant's Week in Weymouth and East Braintree comes April 17 to 22.

Has anybody seen or heard from Louis Guertin? He must be showing the soldiers a few stunts at the front.

The Brockton Chamber of Commerce is to enjoy the treat of being permitted to talk across the continent with San Francisco at its April meeting. Why doesn't the Weymouth Board of Trade combine with several other Boards of Trade in this section and see if the joint association can't enjoy the same treat. It should be possible to arrange such a plan and it would be a fine innovation for the several Trade Boards interested.

WEDNESDAY STORM.

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The storm of Wednesday afternoon and evening raised considerable havoc all about town. The party from this place who attended an affair at the Cochato club in Braintree, were forced to take an early morning train home.

The Wessagusset club ball in East Weymouth suffered, most all of the car lines were put out of commissions, several wagons were stalled in drifts and many social events were necessarily postponed. It was quite late yesterday morning before the traffic lines were restored to regular time and some of our streets are not broken out much yet.

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Seems the Longest.

"Paw, what's the longest period of time?" "From one pay day to the next."

two or three times during the year that they are called upon to officiate, at an election. It is time that such petty mistakes—yet before they are finished reach gigantic proportions—are stopped. Let's get about the stopping right away.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—Fairmount cemetery fair, Odd fellows opera house, East Weymouth, March 22. Entertainment "Daddy." Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats 10 cents, on sale at store of W. M. Tirrell.—Adv.

—Don't forget the mock initiation and dance, auspices of Crescent Lodge No. 82 I. O. O. F. in Oddfellows opera house on the evening of Thursday, March 23, at 8 o'clock. Tickets on sale at 35 cents at W. M. Tirrell's store, East Weymouth. Come and have a good laugh.—Adv.

—The Ladies' sewing circle connected with the Universalist church held an afternoon tea in the church parlor on Wednesday afternoon, March 8th. Mrs. John Taylor and Mrs. Arthur Mercer presided.

—Miss Rose Page of Malden spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel S. Page of North street.

—William M. Tyler of North street is ill at his home.

—The annual parish meeting of the Universalist church will be held in the church vestry on Tuesday evening, March 21st.

—Oscar Tippet and family have been visiting Mrs. Tippet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Leavitt of Bicknell road during the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sidelinger have been entertaining James F. Thomas of Roxbury and Miss Gladys Sidelinger of Dorchester the past week.

—H. E. G. Gould returned home last Saturday after about 16 months' absence in South America in the interest of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company.

—Mrs. Russell H. Whiting of Sea street is entertaining her cousin from Vermont.

—Mrs. D. J. Sampson of Shaw street entertained about ten friends at a covered dish party on last Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. Miles P. Keene of Green street is convalescing after her recent serious attack of the grip.

—It is reported that the Ladies' Sewing circle connected with the Universalist church netted about \$175 at their recent fair.

—The Weymouth dramatic club met last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Dingwall.

—Any one doubting the efficiency of the Ward 1 fire auto truck, should have seen the driver, at the call of the engineer, take Wessagusset hill, via Squanto road, on Monday last. Although there were sixteen inches of heavy snow on the ground, the machine reached the hydrant in front of the home of R. S. Gilmore without any trouble.

—Wilson E. Beane of Pierce court is able to be out once again after his recent illness.

—The Thimble club, a recently formed club composed of twelve ladies, met with Mrs. A. J. Sidelinger on Thursday afternoon, March 9th. Yesterday afternoon they met with Mrs. William T. Seabury of North street.

—The regular business meeting and social of the Y.P.S.C.E. connected with the Pilgrim church was held last Wednesday evening in the church parlor.

—The choir of the Pilgrim church is practicing a cantata to be given at Easter time.

—The funeral of Mrs. Harriett Cleverly, widow of the late Rasmus F. Cleverly, was held at the home of her brother in Hingham on Wednesday, March 8 and the interment was in the North Weymouth cemetery.

—The adjourned parish meeting of the Pilgrim church was held in the vesty last Tuesday evening. Deacon George W. Beane was chosen moderator. The reports showed a successful year with all bills paid and a small balance in the treasury. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: clerk, Wallace H. Drake; parish committee, A. J. Sidelinger, George W. Beane, Murray G. Parker; treasurer, Wilson E. Beane; collector, Robert S. Gilmore; assistant collectors, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Miss Lillian B. Curtiss, A. J. Sidelinger, George L. Newton, Francis A. Bicknell, William T. Seabury; auditor, William T. Seabury; music committee, Mrs. E. Frank Beale, Mrs. S. G. Dunbar, Charles Williams.

Just the Thing.

Parke—"You know, I wish I had some real occupation that I knew was going to take up a large part of my time for the rest of my life." Lane—"Why don't you start a lawsuit in New York?"—Life.

Had to Break One.

"Bobby, do you know you've deliberately broken the eighth commandment by stealing James' candy?" "Well, I thought I might as well break the eighth commandment and have the candy, as to break the tenth and only 'covet' it."—Life.

WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS

—The Wide Awakes held a meeting with Miss Helen Ries on Wednesday afternoon.

—The Ladies Benevolent society will hold an all day sewing meeting with Mrs. J. C. Nash on next Wednesday.

—Andrew Christenson has sold his residence to a party in Brookline and is to leave the Heights soon. Miss Grace Woodward who has been making her home with the Christenson's leaves tomorrow to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keith of East Weymouth.

—At the annual business meeting of the Woman's Missionary society held with Miss Louise Briggs on Wednesday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Miss Mary Lou, president; Miss Abbie Bates, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Albert Newcomb, 3rd vice president; Mrs. Rufus Bates, treasurer; Miss Margaret Blanchard, secretary.

First Church, (Old North) Notes

"When Life is Not Vanity" will be the preacher's theme at the service next Sunday morning. The book of Ecclesiastes will be drawn upon for the text and study. Everyone is welcome. Come and learn of the Bible. Let our lives receive the inspiration of our common thought upon high purpose.

The Sunday evening meeting of the Y. P. C. E. society at 6.30 will be Honorary Members meeting. The subject will be "Getting Power from Our Pledge" and will be under the leadership of Miss Louise Humphrey.

Homeliness Explained.

Mr. Fitznoodle was asked the other day how he could account for nature's forming him so ugly. "Nature was not to blame," said he. "When I was two months old I was considered the handsomest child in the neighborhood, but my nurse swapped me away for another boy just to please a friend of hers whose child was rather homely looking."

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—Rev. Fred A. Line gave a sermon in the Second Universalist church last Sunday morning, entitled "Keeping Lent" and in the evening Rev. T. J. Farmer, state president of the Y. P. C. U., talked on "The Recognition of Brotherhood."

—"Advertising" was discussed by men interested in the manufacture of shoes at South Weymouth last Tuesday night with H. A. McMahon, S. W. Merrill, R. H. Haviland and A. C. Heald taking part. —With the men as guests the March social and entertainment of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Pond Plain Improvement Association was held in Pond street hall, last Tuesday night. The program consisted of fancy club swinging by Wallace Bennett; selections by an orchestra; readings by Mrs. Wallace Bennett, and costume singing by Grace Gay and John McPhetres. Refreshments were served and the affair ended with dancing.

—Helen Holbrook of Union street went to a Brookline hospital last Wednesday where she will be operated on for appendicitis.

—Miss Ruth Benson is ill at her home on Tower avenue.

—Mrs. John Taylor of Columbian street has returned from Hough's Neck where she has spent the winter and opened her home here.

—Dr. Fred Mitchell spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Humphrey Owen.

—George N. Eck has purchased a new Scruffs & Booth car.

—Mrs. Denning H. Luxton and son, Paul returned last Saturday from New York after a visit to Mrs. Luxton's sister who has been seriously ill at the Waldorf Astoria.

—The many friends of Mrs. L. W. Atwood will be pleased to know that Mrs. Atwood is recovering from a fall sustained in the choir gallery of a church at Manchester, N. H., recently. Mrs. Atwood was painfully bruised and shaken by the fall but is now on the road to recovery.

—Charles Libby who recently purchased the Simpson estate on Main street, is to take possession today (Friday).

—Theron Tirrell has purchased the Arthur Holbrook estate on Union street.

—The Bassabee club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Georgie Grundstrom of Central street.

—Herbert Vining of Columbian street has purchased an Overland car.

—Miss Helen Baker of Curtis avenue entertained a party of her girl friends at her home last Friday evening. The party was further enlarged when the Wissa-bucken Camp Fire Girls joined the party after a meeting at the home of Miss Helen Line.

—John W. Linnehan and family have moved into their house recently purchased from Denning D. Luxton.

—Alward Tracy of Pleasant street has recovered from a severe attack of the grippe.

—Miss Ella Anderson spent the week end with friends in Cambridge.

—The girls of the Christian Endeavor society of the Old South church will hold a social tonight (Friday) for the boys of the society who won the recent attendance contest.

—The Misses Nellie and Catherine Desmond spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kramer of Avon.

—The A. R. W. club met last Friday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Bresnahan of Pleasant street. Guests were present from Rockland, Abington and Whitman. A social hour was enjoyed followed by refreshments.

—The Mission Circle of the Old South church met with Miss Ethel Marsh Monday evening.

Old South Church Notes.

Morning worship next Sunday at 10.30 with preaching by the pastor. Music, anthem, "Incline Thine Ear" (Himmel); duet, Mrs. P. N. Sylvester, Mrs. Frank E. Lord, "I Will Extol Thee" (Hosmer).

Sunday school at 11.45. C. E. society meeting at 6, "Getting Power from our Pledge." 7, Evening gospel service. At 7.30 Thursday evening Prayer meeting.

March Social of W. R. C.

In Grand Army hall at East Weymouth last Tuesday night the March social, supper and general entertainment of Reynolds Woman's Relief corps was held. At the afternoon session a class of candidates received the initiatory degree from the officers. Mrs. Mary White had charge of the program, consisting of fancy dancing by Misses Maria Nash and Dorothy Smith, piano solos by Miss Dorothy Dasha, vocal number by Miss Nina Smith and Bradford Tirrell, readings by Miss Gertrude Altman and the impersonation of Washington and Lafayette by Mary Blanchard and Eva Saunders. The accompanists were Nellie Howe and Lillian Smith. Members of allied patriotic organizations were present.

Plant That Coughs.

In Africa a French botanist has discovered a plant that literally coughs to clear its leaf pores of dust.

WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDERS.

News of The Lodges About Town.

This column is for the news of the several lodges in town. It is not complete without all the news of all the lodges. If your lodge or society holds an event of interest or is going to hold one, or you know of an interesting item of any lodge phone Weymouth 145 or mail the same to Box C Weymouth. Co-operate and make this column worth while to our readers.

L. O. O. F.

The opening of the charter for 90 days beginning April 1st will give the local order a fine opportunity to add many new members to its already large membership.

At the regular meeting of the L. O. O. F. held at Moose hall on Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: George Lamrock, dictator; James Peers, vice dictator; Joseph Richards, prelate; William Nolan, treasurer; Edward Boyle, Joseph Higgins and John French, trustees for one, two and three years respectively; Henry Danton, inside guard and Otis Wing, outside guard. The new Dictator, will select the appointive officers.

L. M. C.

The Ladies Circle connected with the Weymouth Lodge L. O. O. F. held a social and whist party in Moose hall on Monday night.

The Loyal Order of Moose Circle postponed its election of officers Wednesday evening on account of the storm to Wednesday evening, the 22nd.

I. O. O. F.

The degree staff of Old Colony Lodge I. O. O. F. of Hingham, with J. Harry McDermott, degree master; paid an official visit to Crescent lodge of East Weymouth last Thursday night and conferred the third degree on a class of candidates. A collation was served after the degree work.

Crescent Lodge is arranging for a mock initiation on the evening of Thursday March 23 in Odd Fellows Opera house, which promises to be the last word in mirth provoking presentations. The amusing initiation will be followed by a dance.

Steadfast Rebekah Lodge No. 98 will meet next Monday afternoon in I. O. O. F. hall at 8.30 o'clock to work for the coming anniversary. It is hoped all members will make an earnest effort to attend. Supper will be served at 6.30 with Ellen Lee lodge of Boston as special guests, together with District Deputy President Sadie M. Wood and suite of Quincy. In the evening the home lodge will confer a degree on a class of candidates.

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17—Sea and North Sts.
18—Lovell and Bridge Sts.
19—Church and North Sts.
21—Broad and Whitman Sts.
23—Jackson Square.
24—Electric Light Station.
25—Grant and High Sts.
26—Cedar St.
27—Wharf St.
28—Commercial and Putnam Sts.
29—Strong's Factory.
221—Shawmut St.
223—Broad St., near Essex St.
224—Central Square.
225—Middle St., near Lake St.
226—Charles St.

31—Summer and Federal Sts.
32—Congress and Washington Sts.
34—Front St., beyond Federal St.
35—Prospect and Granite Sts.
36—Garfield Square.
37—Engine House No. 3.
38—Washington Square.
39—Lumber Wharves.

41—Lovell's Corner.
42—Elm and Pleasant Sts.
43—Nash's Corner.
45—Park Ave. and Main St.
46—Middle and Washington Sts.
47—Pleasant and Canterbury Sts.
48—Lake View Park.
49—Pratt Schoolhouse.
441—Pine and Park Sts.

51—Pleasant St., front Otis Torrey's.
52—Engine House No. 5.
53—Independence Square.
54—Pond St., front Hollis' Mill.
55—Pond St., front W. H. Robinson's.
56—Thicket and Pond Sts.
57—Union St., May's Corner.
58—Union St., front Henry Chandler's.
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SPORTING NOTES.

We have not heard this morning how the meeting in Brockton last night in regard to a Trolley league in baseball came out, but the idea is a fine one and a Weymouth team should be represented in that league.

Louis Guertin, the former all-around professional athlete, who was for years a resident of this town, residing on Congress Street Weymouth, is lost in the war zone of Europe. Anyway, they're having as much difficulty in locating him as they have had in finding Villa in Mexico. Louis, who was one of the most popular residents in this town, after taking the scalps of nearly all the money chasers on this side of the water, went to England last season and has not been heard from since. It is said that his passports have run out and that the English Army officials have refused to allow the local champ to return to this country. In speaking of Guertin, Arthur Duffy of the Post has this to say:

"They don't make 'em much better than Louis Guertin in the athletic ranks. Guertin is every bit as good an all-round performer as Jim Thorpe ever thought of being. He could run the century in even time, the furlong in 22 seconds, a quarter in 50 seconds, while in the field events he was better still and easily would have trimmed Thorpe. His specialty was the running high jump with weights, a stunt that he used in many of the vaudeville houses. He was capable of clearing 7 feet 7 inches by this method, but he was always good for 6 feet in the high without weights. Some performance.

LOVELL'S CORNER

—Mrs. Charles Turner has been entertaining her mother Mrs. Seed from Canada and her sister Mrs. Walter Fish and children of Attleboro.

—Miss Florence E. Pratt has been ill at her home the past week.

—Helen Fuller who has been living with Mrs. Charles Leach has returned to her home.

—Horace Magee spent Sunday with friends in Lynn.

—A meat pie supper was served in the vestry under the direction of Mrs. Woodbury Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Herbert MacFann has been on the shut-in list the past week.

—A very well attended meeting of the Improvement Association was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Leach, Pleasant street. After the business meeting in which a number of plans for the good of the place were discussed. Refreshments were served and a social hour with music was enjoyed by all.

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Following Are a Few of the Items Which Appeared in the Gazette Years Ago This Week.

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO.

It is a good many years since there has been as heavy a body of ice in Whitman's pond, the middle of March, as at present.

Last Friday afternoon the stockholders of the Braintree & Weymouth Street Railway Co., held a meeting in Arcadium hall. The locations granted the company by the Weymouth selectmen were accepted. It was voted to issue \$20,000 of increase of capital stock.

The board of selectmen intend to have a part of the ledge back of the Town farm blown outward set the tramps, who are over-running the town, at work breaking stone. If the town fathers take this action it will probably cause the "thobos" to keep away from this town.

The second meeting of the C. C. C. was called to order by a rap of the Pantano's fist on the table. Many answers had been submitted to the Conundrum propounded at the last meeting. "Why is town division like a ghost?" The prize was awarded to Miss A. L. Tirrell of East Weymouth who submitted "Because we have got to give it up."

The old State House on Beacon hill in Boston had a goodly representation in it yesterday from Weymouth, all parts of the town contributing their quota to the gathering which was assembled at the hearing of the committee on towns on the petitioners for a new town to be known as East Weymouth.

Ex. Gov. John D. Long appeared as counsel for the petitioners and L. A. Cook and A. P. Worthen for the remonstrant.

Gov. Long opened the case by presenting a petition signed by between six and seven hundred persons asking for the division on lines substantially as shown by a map which the counsel explained to the committee and others; he proceeded to say that objections might be raised that the division would interfere with the schools, fire department, water works, streets and bridges of the town as it now stood and last it would leave a grotesque map of the balance of the town, if the suggested parts were taken out.

In regard to the first four items the speaker said there need be no difficulty and the last the alarm was needless as no one had ever lived on a map and no one ever would.

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- 27—Commercial St. opp. Fan Shop
- 29—Commercial St. and Elm St.
- 31—Elm St. and Middle St.
- 32—River St. and Middle St.
- 34—Elm St. and Washington St.
- 35—West St. and Washington St.
- 36—Ash St. and Hollis Ave.
- 38—Washington St. opp. Monatiquo school.
- 41—Union St. and Middle St.
- 42—Union St. and Washington St.
- 43—Pearl St. and Washington St.
- 45—Pearl St. opposite Shoe Factory.
- 46—Hancock St. private, Hollingsworth.
- 47—Pond St. opp. A. O. Clark's house.
- 48—Franklin St. and Central Ave.
- 51—Corner Hancock and Highland Ave.
- 52—Corner Washington St. and South St.
- 123—Corner Quincy Ave. and Allen St.
- 125—Liberty St. opp. Elmer Vinton's.
- 131—Corner Cedar St. and Pleasant St.
- 135—West St. and Mt. Vernon Ave.
- 142—Corner Franklin St. and Central St.
- 143—South Braintree Engine House.
- 145—Fountain St. and Pearl St.
- 146—Corner Plain St. and Grove St.
- 147—Town St. and Pond St.
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A Word to the Borrower

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HIS TWO HOBBIES

By F. A. MITCHEL

Ned Corwin while in college, though a good fellow and by no means a grind, was a fine scholar and developed a marked taste for zoology. Extinct animals were his hobby—that is, one of his hobbies, the one next in importance with him being girls. Singular it is that bones thousands of years old and the most beautiful of living things—to men—should reign side by side in the breast of a man.

Later on Ned became a professor in his alma mater. One day a newspaper announced that in an interior county of the state, not far from the college, a farmer had, while digging, turned up a stony substance that was beyond his comprehension. It was about two feet square and rounded on the edges. The farmer could not make out whether it was bone or stone or indeed what was its substance.

Ned saw the notice and inferred that it was probably a vertebra of an extinct animal. He at once went to the location designated, with a view to an investigation. On arrival he was received by the daughter of the farmer. She was a very pretty rustic, and for the moment Ned forgot all about the bones in his admiration of the girl.

However, his admiring glances were interspersed with the reasons for his being there, and it was not long before she gave way to surprise that he had come all the way from the university to examine a piece of stone. She told him where he could find it and, after having made a little incipient love to her, which he well knew how to do with his eyes without using his tongue, he took a spade from an out-house and went to examine the stone.

When the young professor returned from his investigations he was greatly changed. He had been under the influence of one of his two natures, now he was under the other. He had been absorbed in a girl, now he was absorbed in the petrified remains of an ichthyosaurus. He talked to the girl, but his mind was on the ichthyosaurus.

"It's carnivorous," he said. "They all were."

"What!" exclaimed the girl, opening her eyes.

"The snout of a porpoise; the teeth of a crocodile."

There was no reply to this, nothing but a look of wonder.

"The sternum of an ornithomachus combined with the paddles of a whale."

"Oh, my good gracious," exclaimed the girl, "he's crazy!"

"Fish vertebrae, lizard's head."

"Father!" cried the girl in terror. But her father was out in the fields and did not hear.

"Four paddles and an enormous tail. Must have surely been aquatic."

This was quite enough for the farmer's daughter. She had no doubt that the visitor was mad, and it behooved her to beat a retreat. She dare not run for fear of being foolish and murdered. She was of good pluck, and, fixing her eyes on Ned's, she backed toward the house. On reaching the door she slipped inside, bolting it behind her.

"What the dickens is the matter with that girl?" said Ned to himself, suddenly aroused from his reverie about the ichthyosaurus. The farmer's daughter fled through the house, out by the back door and, keeping in line with outhouses and trees to screen her from the maniac, found her father at the plow.

"What in the world is the matter, Cynthia?" he asked, stopping the horses and looking at her in astonishment.

"Have you seen a ghost?"

"Worse than that, dad. There's a crazy man on t'other side of the house."

"How do you know he's crazy?"

"Fust off he looked as if he wanted to kiss me; then he borrowed a spade and went to where you turned up the rock t'other day. When he come back he was talkin' looney—about some kind of a beast with a head like a fish and teeth like a crocodile and paddles for to swim and an awful long tail."

"Are you sure he's mad?"

"Mad as a March hare."

"I'll go and see him."

"Don't you do it, pop; he'll kill you, sure."

"Waal, then, reckon I better git the neighbors together and take him in. Did he say where he lives?"

"Yes; he's got somepin to do with the college."

"All right. I'll git Hawkins and Smith and we'll corral him and take him home."

That same afternoon when the students were tossing a ball between them on the campus two stalwart farmers were seen approaching, each holding the arm of a man. When they came near enough all recognized Professor Corwin and were seized with apprehension.

"Reckon this man belongs here," said one of the men. "He come to my farm this mornin' and undertook to spark my darter. Then he went to the stone I dug up t'other day, and when he come back he was mad, talkin' about some kind of a big lizard with alligator's teeth and such like."

One of the listeners who caught on to the situation burst into a laugh. The professor's face took on a shamefaced grin; then the crowd shouted in merriment. Taking him from his captors the students, with whom he was a great favorite, lifted him in the air and carried him to his room.

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—Long Whist club will hold its weekly party in Long's hall, Braintree on Friday evening, Mar. 17. Among the souvenirs will be wicker chairs, couch hammocks, wool blankets, parlor desks, rugs and many other useful and valuable articles.—Adv't.

—Messrs. Smith and Bond of the Old Colony Gas Co., braved the severe storm of last week Wednesday night to attend a very instructive lecture on "Light, Shade and Color" at the General Electric Works in Lynn, given by their physicist, M. Lucklesch.

—"God or the World, Which?" was the subject of the morning sermon at the Episcopal church, preached by the rector, Rev. William Hyde. At the evening meeting, he talked on "The War in the Book of Joel".

—Don't forget the mock initiation and dance, auspices of Crescent Lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. in Oddfellows opera house on the evening of Thursday, March 23 at 8 o'clock. Tickets on sale at 35 cents at W. M. Tirrell's store, East Weymouth. Come and have a good laugh.—Adv't.

—George P. Smith, Jr., superintendent of the Old Colony Gas Co., left for Philadelphia on Saturday evening, March 11 to attend the managers' meeting of the American Gas Co., as the guest of J. D. Shattuck.

—The comedy of "Frances, the Suffragette" by Miss Agnes Hyde of Weymouth which was the first drama produced in Bates Opera House, has been published by the Penn Publishing Co. of Philadelphia. The play has full stage directions and properties and is for sale by that company.

—Fairmount cemetery fair, Odd Fellows opera house, East Weymouth, March 22. Entertainment "Daddy." Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats 10 cents on sale at store of W. M. Tirrell.—Adv't.

—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Watts Wednesday.

—D. F. Condrick of the Old Colony Gas Co., attended a lecture on Wednesday evening at the Public Library in Boston by Professor Metcalf on the "Prevention of Industrial Accidents and Diseases."

—Mrs. Edwin R. Senior will entertain the members of the Puritana whist club at her home, 98 Front street this evening.

—Frederick D. Nichols has bought of Eva Bullock the half house and lot at 100 Washington street, at one time occupied by the late George W. White. Mr. Nichols buys for occupancy and will move his evening law office there.

—The scholars of the Jonas Perkins school, East Braintree were dismissed early Monday afternoon and the building fumigated on account of scarlet fever in town. The school closed Wednesday, the teachers visiting schools in other places, it being the annual visiting day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Welch have moved from Wollaston to the Harris house on Sterling street. They are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, March 17.

—It was a singular coincidence that Messrs. Hunt, Kelley and Perry, candidates for Selectman, all got the same number of votes, 224 in the home ward.

—The Ladies Cemetery Circle held an important meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Alice R. Senior.

—George H. Baker who has been West on a business trip, was taken ill while at Dayton, Ohio, and is confined to his room, but is reported as improving. Mrs. Baker left for that city Sunday.

—The condition of Miss Susan Trufant who was taken suddenly ill two weeks ago is reported as comfortable.

—Rev. William Hyde, rector of Trinity church, preached at St. Paul's church, Brockton, Tuesday evening.

—Clarence Curry is again confined to his home on Broad street by illness.

—James H. Dwyer, a former resident and brother of John F. Dwyer of this place was re-elected a member of the board of selectmen of Abington at the annual town election Monday.

—Walter Remick has gone to Norfolk, Va., where he has taken a position.

—Terrence Starr who was injured by a fall on the ice early in the winter, is now able to be about again.

—Peter West, day gateman at the Shaw street crossing of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., has resigned to take a position in Lowell. Sidney Bowers has taken the place being transferred from the depot crossing.

—George P. Smith, Jr., a member of the Board of Educational Control of the National Commercial Gas Association, had a conference on the 10th in Boston, with Louis Stotz of New York, secretary of the association, and Jas. Moyer, director of the Massachusetts State Board of Education, Department of University Extension. They talked over the probable addition of the study of the gas industry to the educational courses offered by the state.

—The members of the Epworth League of East Braintree Methodist church will present the comedy, "The Suffragette's Convention," at the church on Friday evening.

—George Archibald is confined to his home on Oak street with a broken leg caused by slipping on the ice while stepping from a wagon.

—Captain and Mrs. Joel F. Sheppard

who have both been confined to their home by illness, are now both improving being able to be about the house.

—William F. Hunt, one of the oldest and best known residents of this place, is confined to his home, 78 Front street, by illness.

—A party was given to George Hegarty and Harry Delory at the home of George Hatton, last Monday night. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served. The young men were presented with scarf pins as tokens of esteem from their friends present.

Trinity Church Notes.
Lenten service with address on Friday at 7.30 p. m.

"The Symbolism of the Bible" will be the subject of Rev. William Hyde's sermon at Trinity Episcopal church, Weymouth, next Sunday morning, and the evening subject will be "The Present War in the Books of Nahum and Micah."

Union Church Notes.
Morning worship at 10.30. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be "The Witness of Experience."

Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock. There will be a Union service at the Methodist church at 7.15. Prof. Harry F. Ward will give the address.

Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7.30. Subject, "A Parable of Opportunity."

ANOTHER VETERAN GONE.

Warren Tirrell Passes Away at Age of 79 Years and 8 Months.

Warren Tirrell, one of the oldest residents of East Weymouth, died at his home on Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock of pneumonia, aged 79 years, 8 months.

He was a member of Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R. of East Weymouth, having enlisted in Co. A. 42nd Massachusetts Infantry during the war.

He was also enrolled as a member of Massasoit Lodge No. 69, I. O. O. F. of Brockton, Steadfast Rebekah Lodge No. 98 of East Weymouth, and was also a member of the Methodist church.

Mr. Tirrell leaves a wife, three sons, Herbert, Harold and Irving, and a daughter, Mrs. Granger; one brother, Rev. Eben Tirrell of Chatham, and three sisters, Mrs. Lucinda Lewis, Mrs. Ella Raymond and Mrs. Elizabeth Richards who now resides in Connecticut.

Mr. Tirrell has always lived in East Weymouth except five years that he lived in Brockton.

Funeral services will be held at his late home on Laurel street this afternoon (Friday) at 2.30 o'clock.

SOUTH SHORE MORNING MUSICAL.

Interesting Meeting at Home of Mrs. Jennie Worster.

An interesting meeting of the South Shore Morning Musicals, composed of professional musical lovers in this section, was held at the home of Mrs. Jennie B. Worster, 44 Commercial street, Weymouth, last Thursday morning. A large attendance is reported.

Mrs. Worster read an original paper on "Music in America," which was both interesting and instructive. The remainder of the program consisted of concerted vocal numbers by Mrs. Emma S. Moore and Mrs. Jennie B. Worster, sopranos; Mrs. A. Gertrude Worster, alto; and Miss Anna L. Whitcomb, contralto; piano solos, Miss Beatrice Holbrook of Boston; groups of songs by Mrs. Bertha Barnes of Boston and Mrs. F. Adelaide Whitten of East Braintree, and violin solos by Mrs. J. Ray Blanchard. The accompanists were Miss Emma F. Clapp, Mrs. Bertha Holbrook and Mrs. Jennie Hocking Hunt.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

James Henry Quinn, Brother of Late Edward Quinn, Who Passed Away Last Week, Died in Ohio.

James Henry Quinn, brother of the late Edward Quinn, who passed away only last week, died at his home in Portsmouth, Ohio, on Tuesday of this week. He was a long time resident of Lovell's Corner and went to Ohio about twelve years ago. He was a shoemaker while living in this town, but he conducted a restaurant in Portsmouth. He was married. Besides his mother, a brother Thomas Quinn a policeman in Boston, three sisters, Mrs. George Hunt and Mrs. James Ash of this town and Mrs. James Gurney of East Braintree, survive him.

ACCIDENT

William W. Wilder Breaks Arm.

William W. Wilder of 24 Cedar street East Weymouth met with a serious accident at his home last Saturday. Mr. Wilder was doing some painting in his kitchen and was standing on top of the range, the better to reach the part of the room he was painting, when the top part of the stove gave away and Mr. Wilder was thrown violently to the floor, breaking his arm in two places. Dr. Fred L. Doucette was called and set the injured member, and made Mr. Wilder as comfortable as possible. At this writing Mr. Wilder is getting along as well as could be expected.

Missed Something.

We had had a light lunch consisting of soup and dessert, and when my little brother was given his pudding he asked, "Mother, where's the middle of my dinner?"

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J. Walter Howley, foreman at the local car barn who has been under the weather, on account of much snow work and lack of rest, is reported as recovering his health and geniality.

—"Abe" Rousseau's movie shows in Odd Fellows' Opera house each Tuesday and Saturday nights are attracting overflow crowds. Abe has certainly struck a popular view with his high class presentations in the "movie" and vaudeville line.

—Mrs. Robert Mills and daughter Doris have been visiting relatives in town.

—It is an ill wind that does nobody any good. Reports from the car barn state that the bellhop boy's have never had a better winter's work than this year. Snow means considerable expense to the company, but also means revenue to the railroad men.

—The Fairmount Cemetery Circle is holding its last meeting before its annual fair, with Mrs. Charles R. Denbroeder this (Friday) afternoon. Final details will be completed at this meeting.

—Mrs. Lucinda Totman has been obliged to keep indoors the past week on account of sickness.

—Mrs. Sylvia Tirrell of Cedar street has been confined to the house the past week with the gripe.

—William Thayer a former resident of East Weymouth, but now residing with his daughter Mrs. Charles D. Bates of Lawrence, was in town Tuesday renewing old acquaintances and visiting friends.

—The Monday Night club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Samuel W. Burrell 32 Cedar street on Monday night. Whist players at four tables played for the favors of the evening which went to Mrs. James W. Vining and Burgess Spiny. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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—John T. Dizer of 108 Middle street returned on Sunday to the Massachusetts Agricultural college at Amherst.

—Roderick P. Ellis, while endeavoring to do a good turn by helping fix an automobile last Monday got his hand caught in the engine and as a result is nursing a broken finger on his left hand.

—With twenty-seven in attendance and with Rev. E. T. Ford, D. D. as special guest the Friendship class, Miss Lillian Keene, president and Mrs. Edward T. Ford, leader, held a covered dish party as the guests of Miss Alice Emerson at her home on Bellevue road, East Braintree, last Friday evening. The company was delightfully entertained and a most enjoyable evening spent.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Cottell of Broad street spent Sunday with Mrs. Josephine Cushing.

—Basil Warren, the heavy weight wrestler of East Weymouth, will be denied the pleasure of his favorite pastime for a while, blood poisoning having developed in one of his arms.

—The annual meeting of the East Weymouth association was postponed on account of the storm, Wednesday night to Thursday night, the 23d, when it is hoped there will be a large attendance of those owning lots in the cemetery. Don't forget the place, East Weymouth Savings bank.

—A whist party will be held at Moose hall Monday night, March 22nd.—Adv't.

—Mrs. Mary Reamey of 10 High Street place received a postal shower from her many friends on Thursday, it being her 78th birthday.

—Baylis Gardner of 124 Hawthorne street celebrated his 84th birthday on Friday, in a quite way not being in the best of health.

—Paul Humphrey of Cedar street discovered a screech owl in his yard on Wednesday during the heavy snow storm, the bird evidently becoming exhausted. After being cared for and fed Mr. Owl will be given a chance for its liberty again.

—Thomas Burgoyne is out again having recovered from his recent fall.

Congregational Church Notes.
The annual meeting of the Ladies' Social Union takes place this (Friday) afternoon in the church parlors.

Watch the advertisements on page 4 of this paper each week for the Community Service announcements. These services are well worth every citizen's consideration as the talks are extremely interesting and helpful.

Christian Endeavor meeting at six o'clock Sunday evening. Topic, "Getting Power from Our Pledge." Leader, Ernest A. Smith. (Honorary members' meeting.) Junior C. E. at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Leader, Selwyn Abrams.

The annual meeting of the church and parish will be held next Tuesday evening 7 o'clock.

Sunday evening the church extends a welcome to all to accept that which it has

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Methodist Episcopal Church Notes

Mrs. Grace E. Joy will lead the Epworth league meeting on Sunday evening. The topic will be "A World-Program for the League."

Card.

Mrs. Mary Field King (care this office) is very anxious to obtain a copy of the Weymouth Gazette of October 31st, 1867, containing an account of Dr. Noah Fildes' funeral and Rev. Jonas Perkins' address; also a copy of the Randolph paper of that date. Anyone having these old papers, or Mr. Perkins' sermons in pamphlet form would confer a great favor by giving Mrs. King an opportunity to purchase them.—Adv't.

New School Opened.

The new brick school building in Ward 3 was opened for use last Monday. Classes from the Hunt and Tufts schools were transferred to the new building. The new structure is quite up-to-date in every way and parents and friends are cordially invited to call and inspect the new rooms.

Perhaps That's Why He's Boss.

"Everybody in our office has the grip except the boss," says T. Bone Rayer. "A typhus plague might come along and sweep down the whole force, and the boss wouldn't be two minutes late the next morning."—Kansas City Star.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects, the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed

To the Editor of the Gazette:
Determined to end the uncertainty over the schoolhouse situation in Ward 5, a petition containing the names of 50 legal voters was presented to the selectmen Tuesday asking them to call a special town meeting to reconsider the question of schoolhouse site.

The selectmen took no definite action on the petition but referred it to the town council. It is alleged that Selectman Burrell opposed the granting of the request on the grounds that everyone in Ward 5 was satisfied with the present state of affairs.

The petitioners state that if the selectmen refuse to grant the request, they will call a meeting over the heads of the town officials in accordance with a statute providing for just such a situation.

Ward 5 Tax Payer.

Words That Left a Sting.

Two words that caused more trouble than any others he had ever heard, as reported by Henry Clay, were "dough face." The phrase was coined by John Randolph of Roanoke in 1820, when he said that the northern members of congress who voted for slavery in Missouri "saw their dough faces in the glass and were frightened."

Weymouth Gazette

AND TRANSCRIPT

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

PLANS BOOMING

Merchants' Week Committee Well Pleased With Results Thus Far. Three Band Concerts, Lectures and Special Prize Contests Among Features.

Merchants' Week plans are booming along at a sixty mile an hour clip. The committee met this week and the entire week's program was gone over, details fixed and the final draft presented to a goodly number of merchants who gathered in Lincoln Hall last evening in response to a call from the committee.

The program is alive with interesting events for every day in the week. Band concerts will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights probably from 7.30 to 9 o'clock. All the merchants will have special sales, lectures on subjects especially interesting to all the ladies will be held in Phytian hall, while the exhibition hall will be tastefully decorated and well stocked by the merchants in the Landing and in East Braintree.

The pledges for the financial support of the week have been better to a great extent than was anticipated.

Large signs have been printed announcing the week Merchants' Week and much publicity will be given to the program and the feature during the coming weeks previous to April 17.

The Gas Company has given several very valuable presents to be awarded as prizes in several departments and the merchants have a incentive to provide attractive booths, as a fine gas range has been put up as prize for the merchant having the best decorated booth.

All in all it looks like a big week in all respects. Remember the dates April 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, save them for Merchants' and Gas Week. Boom Weymouth Landing and East Braintree. Hustle for Merchants' Week.

A complete program will be published in the official Merchants' Week paper, the Gazette, in our next issue.

SPORTING NOTES.

The boys are anxiously awaiting the departure of the snow. The baseballs are all found, the gloves "greased" and the bats dusted—now Mr. Weatherman!

The Braves and the Red Sox are in the South on the Spring training trips. Engage your tickets for the opening games, gents.

What are we going to have for baseball in town this summer? As we have been asked that question a few hundred times already, we will answer the query to the best of our information at hand at this time. The High school will have as good a team from all indications, if not better, than in the past few seasons. North Weymouth seems to be out of the running as far as baseball goes, although there are lots of fans in that section. In East Weymouth the C. M. A. will probably put on a team—and right here let us say that it is a shame, pure and simple, to let the C. M. A. field a team as much as it has the past couple of years—in Weymouth Landing, Webb park may stage some interesting battles and several teams seem to be in order in South Weymouth, where just at present there is the most enthusiasm for home baseball. This town will support two good amateur teams—but they must be good—have a manager who can make the boys hustle, not loaf and fool all the time—play local lads and the rivalry between Weymouth teams and other teams in this section which was so alive a few years ago, will again strive and swell the gate receipts and benefit the game in this section.

John Gannon, one of the finest basketball players ever at Weymouth High school, has been selected as the captain of the team for next year. He was the best scorer of the past season, having a great eye and is a gamster all the way through.

In the Boston pin tournament, on the alleys of the Norfolk club, last Thursday night, for the championship of South Weymouth, team 2, Frank Loud captain, won from team 1, Charles Farrar captain, taking three strings, with a total of 1308 to 1256. Team 2 captured all the points. William MacCauley led with a single string of 123 and a three string total of 318.

Charlie Cotter, of East Weymouth, manager of the fifty young fistie boys, "Young Brusses", has matched his man with Plausse of Whitman for a twelve round go at Plymouth next Monday evening. Charlie expects to come home with the verdict.

Honestly, we wouldn't ever know some baseball players could knock a home run if we didn't read the news from the training camps.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD.

Thomas Spillane Born in County Kerry, Ireland, May 4, 1810. Funeral on Tuesday.

Thomas Spillane, the oldest resident of this town, died suddenly Sunday. He had been in his usual health up to a short time before his death. He was born in County Kerry, Ireland, May 4, 1810 and came to this country when a young man. After living here for some years he returned to Ireland and made his home there for some time. He returned to this country 30 years ago and has since resided here.

He is survived by four sons, Thomas B. and John Spillane of this place, Edward of Avon and Patrick of County Kerry, Ireland, also four daughters, Misses Nora and Hannah Spillane of this place, Mrs. Owen Mitchell of East Weymouth and Mrs. Margaret Nees of Ireland.

The funeral took place Tuesday morning from the Church of the Sacred Heart, Rev. J. B. Holland celebrated Mass. Interment was at St. Francis Xavier cemetery. The bearers were John H. Coffey, Michael Cohen, John Spillane and Patrick Shea of this town, Thomas McDonald of Rockland and Thomas Hurley of Lawrence.

Wise Man Seidom at a Loss.
A wise man will make more opportunities than he finds.—Bacon.

PRESENT MAGAZINE BY TABLEUX

March Social of Second Universalist Church Ladies Society in South Weymouth Holds Novel Entertainment.

The March social, supper and general entertainment of the Ladies Social Circle connected with the Universalist church of South Weymouth was held in the church vestry last Thursday night.

The banquet was served by Mrs. Nelson J. Gay and a corps of women from the parish. As the chief feature was "published," with Mrs. William F. Barnard and Mrs. Wallace A. Harris as the "editors." The cover page was assigned to Miss Edith Harris, the editorials were written by Rev. Fred A. Lines; the fiction pages were in charge of Miss Elsie Meartins, time 1750, and Miss Addie Deane, time 1912; the lullaby page, with tableaux and songs, was taken care of by Mrs. Carl Gridley, Boyd Gridley and Mrs. Archie Blanchard, the last named the soloist; the housekeeping section, with a 5 o'clock tea, was edited by Miss Helen Simpson and Miss Dorothy Marden; the story telling pages were directed by Mrs. Wallace Harris; the modern department store section was in charge of Misses Alice Gay, Helen Simpson, Helen Lyons, Dorothy Marden, Florence Howe, May Ware and Helen Sanford; the music page was supplied by Mrs. Percy L. Bicknell, and the advertisements were solicited and presented to the audience by Miss Florence K. Howe, Miss Alice Gay, Miss Helen Line, Mrs. Mary Ware, Mrs. Ray Sherman, Mrs. Samuel McPhetres, Mrs. Carl Gridley, Mrs. Helen Sanford, Miss Edith Line, Miss Marion Brown and Boyd Gridley. The pages, sections and departments were illustrated by tableaux, with Mrs. William F. Barnard supplying the instrumental accompaniments at the piano.

Result of the Recount.

The Board of Registrars of Voters began the recount of votes cast at the election of town officers on Monday, the 13th, at the town office Saturday night and after three hours' work had finished Precinct 1 and were well into Precinct 2 when the lateness of the hour and the long job before them suggested a halt and they adjourned to resume the work on Tuesday night the 21st.

The work of recounting was taken up at an early hour Tuesday night and carried to a finish being watched with interest by those most directly interested, now fluctuating a vote or two in favor of one and then another of the selectman and two of the school committee candidates.

As the midnight hour drew nigh, the work was completed with no change in the Board of Selectmen or School Committee and but a slight variation in the original returns.

On the total vote for Selectman, Mr. Burrell lost 1, Mr. Hanley gained 3, Mr. Hawes lost 3, Mr. Hunt lost 1, Mr. Kelley gained 2, Mr. Newton gained 5, Perry and Wright no change. The School Committee vote took 2 votes each from Mrs. Batchelder and Mrs. Leonard and added 1 to Mrs. Nichols.

No one goes down and out by the recount but Mr. Newton goes above Mr. Burrell and Mr. Kelley comes within five votes of a "tie" with Mr. Burrell.

TOWN BUSINESS.

Selectmen's Business and Other Departments of Work and Expenditures.

The board of engineers of the fire department has decided upon a four cylinder White auto combination for Ward 3.

Under Article 4 in the Warrant for the Town Meeting it was voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year. The treasurer has negotiated a loan of \$100,000 on this account and on Monday the Selectmen approved ten bonds on notes of \$1000 each to cover the same.

At the Monday meeting of the Selectmen, H. Wilbur Dyer was drawn for the Grand Jury.

Henry W. Burr and Wilfred H. Bartlett were added to the list of public weighers.

The Bay State Street Railway petitioned for three additional poles on Pleasant street, at the place of the recent widening south of the Porter Church, and a hearing on the same will be held on Monday April 3.

Henry C. Pratt was granted a permit to hold a dancing party and mock initiation in Odd Fellow's Opera House East Weymouth Monday the same taking place last evening.

Voted to appoint C. B. Cushing joint secretary of the Selectmen and Water Board at a salary of \$1100, \$850 of which on account of Selectmen, and \$250, Water Department.

The special Town Meeting as asked for by H. Wilbur Loud and others in regard to the new schoolhouse in South Weymouth, was discussed at some length, but pending the result of Mr. Worthen's action, in regard to special legislation of which something definite is looked for this week, no final action was taken.

The Selectmen are in receipt of several articles for the warrant for the proposed Special Town Meeting, all of which are in relation to the much discussed schoolhouse. One of which is to see if the Town will reconsider the action taken under article 10 of the recent Town Meeting. This article was the article concerning the location of the school building. Another is to see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for a lot for the new schoolhouse. Still another to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a new schoolhouse in Ward 5, and yet another to see what action the Town will take in regard to raising the \$56,000 voted at the recent meeting.

Police Notes.

Officer Nash arrested three men last Friday and in court at Quincy Saturday they all paid fines for being intoxicated.

Officer Ford had a man in court on Monday for intoxication, and the judge gave the prisoner three months at the State Farm at Bridgewater.

Headquarters received a call from the Boston police that they had a man who was wanted in Weymouth for breaking and entering. Officer Fitzgerald went to Boston and brought the prisoner to East Weymouth. Saturday in court the case was settled, the parties refusing to prosecute.

Saturday morning at 4 o'clock Chief Pratt received a call on the telephone from a citizen on Pleasant street saying that there was a man around his house making a disturbance. The chief dispatched Officer Butler to the scene and he found a man partially undressed and eventually under the influence of liquor. Officer Butler took the man to headquarters and there found that the man was suffering from cold and exposure, both ears being frozen. Monday in court at Quincy the prisoner paid the cost of court.

TUFTS LIBRARY.

Art Exhibition.

"The Age of Mahogany in English Furniture" is the subject of the set of pictures from the Library Art Club now in the reading room. Percy Macquid writes in his "History of English Furniture:—Between 1710 and 1715 mahogany began to be used in England for the construction of furniture; up to this time it had been introduced only as a veneer." The pictures will remain until April 10.

Optimistic Thought.
Fear not indigence, since no man liveth so poor as he was born.

SEVENTY-THIRD ANNIVERSARY.

Congregational church East Weymouth Starts New Year.

The First Congregational church at East Weymouth held its annual meeting in the chapel Tuesday night and the event was made quite interesting by the various exercises.

Mrs. Henry R. Hawkes, Mrs. Janet A. Harlow and Miss M. Canbury, a special committee in charge of arrangements, had made of the chapel a finely arranged reception room and a large number of people gathered to enjoy the evening, review the past year and plan for the next.

Rev. Edward T. Ford, D. D., was in charge of the exercises of the evening, opened the meeting with short devotional services and then called for reports of the several departments. Wm. M. Reamy, clerk of the church, was the first to respond and gave a detailed report of the year as to work along different lines.

Mr. Reamy is also superintendent of the Sunday school and reported for the school in general, and minor departments of the Sunday school had respondents for the several branches as follows:—Miss Clara M. Reamy, primary department; Miss Grace Mitchell, Junior department; Mrs. Joseph Sampson, middle role; Miss Lillian Keene, home department, and Mrs. Mrs. Langhurst, friendship.

Miss B. S. Lovell gave a detailed and interesting report for the Ladies Social Circle. In the absence of the musical director, Miss Ethel F. Raymond, C. Will Bailey responded with much interesting date as to the work of the choir.

Mrs. Lottie R. Tirrell represented the Missionary Circle and showed a good year's work along different lines.

The Men's Good Fellowship Club was represented by the clerk, Ralph G. Haslins.

Mrs. C. Will Bailey represented for the Inasmuch Circle of Kings' Daughters; Mrs. McCobb, the Golden Rule Circle and Mrs. Horsley for the Watchful Circle.

The Y. P. S. C. E. had a good representative in Miss Grace M. Taylor, and the Junior Endeavor in Miss Lillian M. Keene.

The Y. P. S. C. E. quartette, Arthur T. Rousseau, tenor; Miss Elizabeth L. Taylor, soprano; Miss Grace N. Taylor, alto; and Norman E. Dizer, bass, added to the evening's enjoyment with vocal selections as did also Mrs. Henry L. Lovell and Miss Isabel Lovell with piano duets.

Officers elected for the year were Wm. M. Reamy, clerk and treasurer; Mrs. Henry R. Hawkes, Mrs. Janet A. Harlow and Miss Adeline M. Canterbury, standing committee; Rev. Edward T. Ford, pastor; and Mrs. W. M. Tirrell and Mrs. T. H. Emerson, committee on benevolences, and T. H. Emerson, deacon for four years.

A delectable lunch was served at the close and the several departments of the church start out on another year.

ANNUAL FAIR.

Fairmount Cemetery Circle Holds Successful Sale and Entertainment in Spite of Inclement Weather.

Although the weather was far from being of the kind to warrant a successful event, nevertheless the annual sale and entertainment, conducted by the Fairmount Cemetery Circle, Mrs. Virginia W. Whitton president, held at Odd Fellows Opera house, East Weymouth on Wednesday evening, March 22, 1916 is destined to go on record as being successful in every way.

A supper was served at five o'clock to over 100 people by the following committee, Mrs. William F. Cowing, chm.; Mrs. Frank Manuel, Mrs. Harry Belcher and Mr. James Pratt.

At eight o'clock the three act drama "Daddy" was given under the direction of Mrs. Virginia W. Whitton and was enjoyed by everyone the parts being taken by the following, E. C. Clark, Herman Gardner, R. George Young, John McIsaac, Mrs. C. R. Denbroeder, Mrs. A. A. Corbell, Mrs. Harry Matson, Miss Velma Abbott.

The different tables were in charge of the following chairman—Candy, Mrs. Albert Humphrey; White Elephant, Mrs. Frank E. Briggs; Punch, Mrs. Henry C. Cottell; Childrens, Mrs. Clara Wilder; Fancy, Mrs. Frank H. Sylvester; Domestic, Mrs. J. R. Totman; Cake, Mrs. William A. Wheaton; and Ice cream, Mrs. Joseph E. Sampson.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN

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To The Voters of Weymouth:
Many people have asked me since the recount if I were going to protest the election. While I would be justified in so doing I think that my interests in the town welfare is of greater importance and while I might gain personally, by insisting upon a new election it would, of course put the town to a considerable expense which I think could be spent by the town to better advantage for the citizens as a whole. I am satisfied that this election has pointed out to the citizens that what I had to say about conditions here are true, and it may awaken the town officials to the fact that the people are greater than the servants. I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Town Clerk and the Registrars for their work in the recount and to thank the citizens for the support that they gave me at this election.

Very Respectfully,
JOSEPH KELLY.

Optimistic Thought.
Imperfect beings as we are, perfection would kill us.

\$10,000 FIRE

Denbroeder Furniture Store Block Destroyed by Fire Early Wednesday Morning. Casassa Fruit Store Also a Total Loss

Fire early Wednesday morning practically ruined the three story building on Broad street, East Weymouth, occupied by William P. Denbroeder and Frank Cassassa, the fruit man.

The alarm came in from 23 at 5.20 o'clock and Combination 2 with Harold Hawes at the wheel was soon on the spot. The firemen found a well developed fire burning throughout the east part of the building.

With the fire showing considerable volume and being in a dangerous section, District Chief Hunt pulled in a second alarm, and combination 3 was soon on the job.

After several hours of hard fighting the firemen succeeded in saving the four walls of the structure and none of the buildings in the vicinity were damaged.

The fire is thought to have started under the stairway in the furniture store of Mr. Denbroeder. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cassassa awoke and its continual fretting from smoke soon awakened Mrs. Cassassa, who aroused her husband. In the meantime the blaze had been discovered out on Broad street by Mrs. Mary E. Ellard an employee at McCobb's restaurant, who shouted to Conductor James Casey, and the latter pulled in the alarm.

The Cassassa family left the building without assistance and were all unhurt.

The fire was under control about seven o'clock. During the fire a falling chimney nearly wiped three firemen off a ladder, but an overhang on the building deflected the bricks just enough to save the boys.

The building was owned by the Elizabeth Denbroeder estate. It was occupied on the first floor by William P. Denbroeder, for years a furniture dealer and by Frank Cassassa, a fruit dealer. The second floor was modeled as an apartment for the Cassassa family and as a store room for Mr. Denbroeder. The third floor was used entirely for a work shop in Mr. Denbroeder's business.

The cause is unknown and the loss is estimated at \$10,000. The property is insured, M. P. Carey, the East Weymouth insurance man being the agent.

The interior of the building is ruined and all the stock is a total loss. While Cassassa's store was not badly burned, his stock is a loss from water and smoke.

FUNERAL OF MRS. JOHANNA SHEEHY.

Widow of Late Edward Sheehy at Rest.

The funeral of Mrs. Johanna Sheehy widow of the late Edward Sheehy took place at the Immaculate Conception Church East Weymouth on Monday forenoon at 9 o'clock. Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Cornelius J. Riordan. Interment was at the St. Francis Xavier cemetery. The bearers were Robert E. Croker, Henry C. Croker, Charles D. Sheehy, Vincent H. Sheehy, George Croker and Peter Priary.

Community Welfare Service.

In the auditorium of the East Weymouth Congregational church on Sunday evening those in attendance listened to a very instructive illustrated lecture by Dr. Merrill E. Champion, South Eastern Massachusetts District Officer of the State Board of Health who spoke on "The Wear and Tear Diseases of Middle Life and How they may be Prevented or Postponed."

Following the lecture Dr. Champion answered many questions put to him by those in the audience. For a strictly welfare service nothing could have been more appropriate as it was educating from beginning to end.

Dr. Ford had charge of the devotional exercises and led the praise service. Fred V. Garey presided at the organ.

The meeting on next Sunday evening will be the regular illustrated lecture, the subject being "Beautiful Hawaii, or Our Country in the Mid-Pacific Ocean." All are invited to attend.

Rockland Standard Tour.

The Rockland Standard is to conduct a six day tour to New York, Philadelphia and Washington. The fare for the round trip is \$31.50 and will include all expenses except meals on Fall River boat. It will be a first class tour in every respect and as the party is limited reservations must be made at once. Party will stop at first class hotels and will be accompanied by a competent guide. Party will leave Boston Friday April 28 and return May 4. Opportunity will be given to see the national capitol at its best and all the historic spots will be visited. For particulars and itinerary apply to Tour Dept. Rockland Standard, Rockland, Massachusetts.

Card.

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ANOTHER VETERAN AT REST.

Warren Tirrell of Laurel Street, East Weymouth Buried on Friday.

The funeral of Warren Tirrell was held at his late home 47 Laurel street East Weymouth last Friday afternoon. Rev. William N. Newton of the Methodist Church conducted the services. Mrs. Eveline Sherman Philbrook sang, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "Passing Out of the Shadow." Reynolds Post 58 G. A. R. and a delegation from Steadfast Rebekah Lodge 1. O. O. F. attended. The Grand Army burial service was read by Commander Leonard W. Cain and chaplain Bradford Hawes. George H. Abbot, W. Ernest McFaun, Bradford Hawes and Bradford C. Denton were bearers. Interment was at Fairmount cemetery, where taps were sounded by the bugler of Post 58, Miss Theodora Kelth, and three volleys were fired over the grave by the color guard of the post.

ADAMS AS EXPERT

Represents Cities and Towns in Bay State Case.

As the town of Weymouth is directly interested in the fare increase, it is of interest to know that Alton B. Adams, a specially keen analyst and cross examiner of Boston is the expert representing the cities and towns in the investigation and he will also present the opposing forces case when the hearings are resumed on April 17.

He was hired by the state association of city solicitors and town counsel, and the expense will be apportioned on each town and city in the fairest per cent possible.

BACK IN UNITED STATES.

Weymouth and North Weymouth Boys Gain Much Experience and Suffer Some Hardships While in England.

After a couple of months' sojourn in England, where he was asked many times to enlist in the English army and thought finally he would be forced to be a British soldier, Howard Johnson of Prospect street, Weymouth, is again in the land of the free and the home of the brave.

Johnson, tiring of working at the Fore River Ship yard, decided early in January to take a trip abroad and see a few sights. He left the United States with Sidney Allison, of Weymouth, who had enlisted in the British army and a few days later, reached England without being blown up by submarines or captured by the Kaiser's forces on the sea.

Allison, on his arrival, quickly joined his regiment, but Johnson went around to see the sights. He fell in with John Smith of North Weymouth, who it is reported, has not been heard of by his folks for several years and after a few months in the British Isles, the pair decided that the enlistment rules were getting a little too strict for a couple of husky American boys, so they boarded a Danish steamer under British employ and arrived in the U. S. about two weeks ago. Johnson is of the opinion that Paris will be his next destination as he says "Experience is a great teacher" and excitement is what he is looking for.

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Said the fly, "Let us flee,"

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Worst is Yet to Come.

A eugenist declares that women will be eight feet tall in future generations. They present a rather difficult sociological and political problem now. What will they present when they are grown up?—Cincinnati Times-Star.



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Words Change Meaning.

Our great-granddads often referred to their overcoats as "bangups." This word has a different meaning now, just as "slump" was used at Harvard 70 years ago to denote a flunk by a student. Now it is commonly employed to denote a big recession in the price of stocks.

ON THE FARM

Subscribe for this paper. This column alone is worth more than \$2.00 a year if you have a garden or keep a horse, cow, pigs or hens.

The average yearly yield of the farm flock is about seventy eggs for each hen. This is the finding of the Department of Agriculture at Washington.

For a family orchard a large number of varieties is needed in order to secure a supply all through the year and for all purposes.

It isn't a matter of a particular breed. There are a dozen breeds of fowls that can be depended upon for the high economic values if rightly handled.

It is a mistake to wait until the last minute before preparing for the work of the year. A day spent in looking over the tools now may save time when days are precious.

All Rhode Island Reds, if standard bred, are exactly alike in every respect excepting the comb, which on one variety is a rose comb and on the other a single comb.

It is a mistake to let the fruit tree agent select varieties for you, even if he is honest. Observe the kinds that do well in your vicinity and take them.

One American hen, has shown us that there is as great economic value in her as can be found, weight for weight, in any animal in the world.

Early in the spring is when the new strawberry beds should be made, and those who contemplate having them can not prepare the ground too soon. It is a fact that but few farmers, comparatively, know how to grow strawberries.

Everyone knows the gray poultry mite which takes on a distinct reddish cast after the meal of blood. It is commonest in dark, damp, dirty poultry houses where it thrives upon filth.

In planning the orchard give the trees plenty of room. Better have the trees a little too far apart than to have them crowded. Bunch varieties; that is, plant all of one variety close together rather than scatter early, medium and late varieties promiscuously through the orchard.

New England has long been known as a center of poultry production. It is famous for the quality of market poultry and eggs produced. It has the largest number of breeders of standard bred poultry, and more poultry exhibitions are held than in any other section of the Union.

Barley is not extensively grown, yet it is a superior stock food and will grow on soils that will not produce wheat. In England hogs are fattened on barley, and the meat contains more lean than that produced from corn.

Home-grown seed that has been well cared for, even though it was not thoroughly mature, is almost certain to give better results than imported seed. By home-grown seed is meant seed grown on the farm, or in the same country, or where the same general conditions affected the crop.

Is it not true that the New England farmer, with his close proximity to great markets, with his admirable highways and his numerous railway and trolley lines, with a large addition to the consuming population during the Summer season, when truck crops are produced, is exceedingly fortunately circumstanced and that if he will avail himself of his opportunities he may more than hold his own in the agricultural world?

Potatoes are produced from two sources; first, from the ball, or seed of itself. Now, I maintain, if we raise them from the potatoes only, the time will come, sooner or later, that they will decay, rot, and finally become extinct; and that the only way to prevent such an issue is to reproduce them from the seeds in the balls at stated periods.

Poultry keepers may easily reduce the percentage of dirty or soiled eggs, and losses entailed to insignificant figures. First, an ample number of nests is, of course, necessary, but an ample number means no more, than, and probably not as many as, are usually directed by poultry writers. Laying houses are, as a rule, provided

LINCOLN'S FIRST DOLLAR.

How He Earned It and the Elation It Brought With It.

When he was about eighteen years old Abraham Lincoln, who, as he said, belonged to the "scrubs," people who owned no slaves and not much of anything else, built a raft to carry some produce down the river to sell.

While he was looking at the work of his hands and wondering if he could better it two men came down to the shore and, looking over the several small craft there, picked out Lincoln's small boat and asked if he could take them and their trunks out to the big steamship coming down the river, there being no wharves in that locality.

Lincoln scullied them out into the river and put them and their trunks aboard the steamship at the last minute, reminding them that they had forgotten to pay him. Each man then threw him a silver half dollar.

"I could scarcely believe my eyes," said Lincoln in relating the occurrence. "You may think it was a very little thing, and in these days it seems to me a trifle, but it was a most important incident in my life. I could scarcely credit it that I, a poor boy, had earned a dollar in less than a day; that by honest work I had earned a dollar. The world seemed wider and fairer before me. I was a more hopeful and confident being from that time."—New York Herald.

DIVORCE IN EGYPT.

Ninety Out of Every Hundred Matings There End Disastrously.

There is one country in the world, at least, where divorce is more frequent than in the United States. In Egypt 90 per cent of marriages end in divorce, says Elizabeth Cooper in her book, "The Harim and the Pasha," and it has been observed that two people who live to old age together without one of them having been divorced are rarely found.

Divorce can be had for incompatibility by mutual consent, Mrs. Cooper says, without recourse to the courts, but if the wife wishes to be free and the husband will not permit it the woman may go before a judge and state her case, and if her charges are proved she will be granted her petition. Often a woman will return her dowry or agree to forfeit the part not yet paid, and in many cases the wife makes a money payment to the avaricious husband in return for her liberty.

Divorce is easier for the Egyptian husband than for the wife, according to Mrs. Cooper, and following a divorce the woman is commanded to remain single three months, while the man may remarry immediately.

How We Get Our Canned Fish.

The fishing parties usually stay out from ten days to three weeks. They carry ice with them, and the moment the fish are taken from the hooks they are cleaned and put in the ice and kept there until they reach the cold storage plant. They are washed as soon as they are landed and shipped in cold storage cars direct to the markets, or they may be kept for some time before shipping.

The next step is to dip each fish four or five times in fresh water until it becomes entirely incased in a thin sheet of clear ice. It can then be held in cold storage at a temperature of 4 degrees below freezing until it is needed for export. The fish get a fresh coating of ice before they are shipped. They are then wrapped separately in vegetable parchment paper and are packed in paper lined boxes of 375 pounds capacity and sent eastward in the cold storage trains.—Christian Herald.

The Medieval Kitchen.

It was the middle ages before the kitchen had been raised to the dignity of an established apartment. Strange dolings went on in those medieval kitchens. Butchers slaughtered animals there, which were skinned and dressed as well as cooked in the kitchen. The family blacksmith kept his fire there and repaired the plows and wheels of the estate. Coal began to be used as a kitchen fuel in 1215, though not generally for 200 years after. The oven did not come into use until the year 1400, and then it was the old fashioned brick oven, which persisted for hundreds of years. The stove when invented took the place of the separate oven and the fireplace, with its hanging pots.

Possibly True.

"Jinks is an awful liar. He says he's never spoken a cross word to his wife in the whole ten years they've been married." "That doesn't prove him a liar. Evidently you've never met his wife, or you'd know that it would take a brave man to speak a cross word to her."

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By M. QUAD

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A dilapidated looking old man, who was chewing sassafras root with great energy, suddenly appeared in the waiting room of the depot across the river, and as he approached a man who was waiting for the western train he pulled a bottle of liquid from an old satchel in his hand and said:

"My friend, you are looking yaller about the eyes, which is a sure sign that your blood is in a bad state. One bottle of my blood purifier will restore you to health and vigor."

"Don't want it, sir," was the reply. "All right, mister, all right. If a fellow wants to keep on looking yaller about the eyes when a pannycia is at hand, that's his own business. 'Long about the middle of April you'll be on your back with a spell of bilious fever, but you needn't lay it up agin me."

The next person approached was a severe looking woman about thirty-five years old, who was probably an old maid.

"Them yaller streaks at the corners of your mouth denote a torpid liver, ma'am," said the man as he gave the bottle a shake. "Something right here to improve your looks 50 per cent."

"Sir!" she demanded in icy tones. "Only 50 cents a bottle, ma'am, and made right in my own house from herbs and roots gathered by my own hands. Just opened the campaign, and it's only 50 cents a bottle."

"Go away, sir!" she commanded.

"No, sir!"

"All right, madam, all right. Torpid liver may be a good thing to have about the house, but I don't think so. Here's your pannycia, and if you don't want it I can't compel you to buy it."

The third passenger was a man with a marked redness about the nose and rough spots on his face. He was busy with a newspaper when the old man approached with:

"One bottle will cure that nose or your money returned."

"What! What's that?" demanded the man.

"And the second bottle will cure all those rough spots."

"Look a-here, you old reprobate! What are you driving at anyhow?"

"I am selling a blood purifier, made of roots and herbs. It's a little early perhaps, but I want to get the start of the buckwheat scratchers. Are you a drinking man or not?"

"Do you mean to insult me to my face, sir? Why, I'll punch your head off."

"Wouldn't do no good, sir. Here's the only genuine blood purifier in the country, and last year I sold 7,000 bottles of it. Invigorates the liver, tones up the blood, and if I can't cure up that nose of yours I don't want a cent."

"I'll purify you, you old assassin!" said the man as he started to take off his coat. But just then a policeman came up and told the old man he must get out.

"And not sell a bottle of my blood purifier in this crowd?" he loudly asked. "Come, out you got!" said the officer. "And you don't want a bottle for yourself? You've got a jaundice look, and this medicine will cure it in five big doses."

He was led out and told not to re-enter the depot. But he stood at the door and said to the policeman:

"All right, officer, all right. If the people don't want my blood purifier they needn't have it. It's the season to purify, but I never go agin the law, and if there is a rampage of bilious fever don't say I wasn't around with my pannycia at regular price."

The officer made a move for him, and the old man ambled off down the street to the corner. There stood a man beside the lamppost with deep trouble in his looks and bearing, and after a moment he was addressed with:

"If I ever saw a man who needed it you are the critter!"

"Are you talking to me, sir?" was queried in reply, but the man looked straight across the street.

"Right to you, my friend. You are almost on your dying bed, but there is one hope. It is my blood purifier. It has cured when the doctor pronounced the patient dead. Get a dose down you at once!"

"Thanks, but I cannot change the program now."

"I'll give you the first dose without charge."

But the old man saw a patrolman plunging across the street to gather him in, and he made his escape to stop a fat pedestrian at the end of the block and say:

"My dear sir, you are fat and look the picture of health, but is it solid fat or bloat?"

"What do you mean by addressing such a question to me, sir?" was sternly replied.

"If it's bloat, sir, I have that which will take it away."

"By thunder, you old cuss!"

But the patrolman had followed along and now came up and demanded if the old man had a license to peddle. As he didn't he was placed under arrest, and as he was walked away he asked:

"I ain't kicking any, but I want you to do me a favor."

"Well?"

"Take me before some judge who's got a plain case of the janders and who'll let me pay my fine in the only reliable blood purifier ever invented by a human man!"

And perhaps the exchange was made.

DEATHWATCH BEETLES.

Their Uncanny Ticking and Their Trick of Playing Dead.

You've probably heard the death-watch beetle oftener than you've seen it. It hides away in furniture or interior woodwork and keeps up a continual "tick-tick-tick" like a watch. Day or night you'll hear him pounding away. He's eternally persistent about it and ghostlike and uncanny, hence his name.

He makes the little ticking noise with his head, pounding it on the wood. It's the way he has of calling his mate, and his mate answers him in turn. If you pound on the wood where he is hiding he'll answer you just like he does his mate.

You may wonder how he finds his way inside a piece of furniture. He gets there when he's in the grub or larva state, boring his way through wood, paper or anything the grub can eat. The larva which eats its way through the leaves of a book is a cousin.

The death-watch beetle has another trick besides that one of calling his mate by pounding his head on wood. When you touch one of the little creatures he folds his legs up beneath his body and makes believe he's dead. He will keep on playing possum even if you put him close enough to a fire to roast him.—Philadelphia North American.

DIVISION OF NUMBERS.

Rules That Will Simplify Some Examples in Arithmetic.

It is often convenient to know whether a given number is divisible by another without going through the usual process of division. Almost every one knows that however large a number may be, it is divisible by 5 if the last digit is 5 or 0. The following gives the rule for some other numbers:

A number is divisible by 2 when the last digit is divisible by 2; by 3 when the sum of the digits is divisible by 3; by 4 when the number represented by the last two digits is divisible by 4; by 5 when the number ends in 5 or 0; by 6 when it is divisible by 2 and also by 3; by 8 when the number represented by the last three digits is divisible by 8; by 9 when the sum of the digits is divisible by 9.

For example, the number 1728 is divisible by 2, because its last digit, 8, is divisible by 2; by 4, because 28 is divisible by 4, and by 8 because 728 is divisible by 8. It is also divisible by 3 and by 9, for the sum of its digits total 18, a number divisible by 3 and by 9. Since it is divisible by 2 and by 3, it is also divisible by 6.

To find whether a number is divisible by 7 you must go through the usual process of division.—Youth's Companion.

Expatriating With the Thunder.

In "The Rediscovered Country" S. E. White gives this glimpse of a native custom in an East African thunderstorm:

A Wakoma porter stood out stark naked in the rain and shouted back an answer in a loud tone of voice to every clap of thunder.

He was a fine sight, as he was revealed by the flashes—the upright pose, the rain streaming from his glistening body, the flicker of his metal ornaments. M'ganga, later appeared to, said that he was the official thunder lord for his people. He was saying: "Go away! Go this way! Go that way! You like to sit on high hills! There are no high hills here! Go to Kkorongo, there are high hills!" He had also put "medicine" in a tree in camp. I asked M'ganga if he himself believed in this. He grinned quietly and replied, "Well, the rain has gone."

The Word Calico.

The word "calico" has a queer origin. Many centuries ago the first monarch of the province of Malabar, in Hindustan, gave to one of his chiefs as a reward for distinguished services his sword and all the land within the limit of which a cock crowing at a certain temple could be heard. From this circumstance the little town which grew up in the center of this territory was called Calicoda, or "the cock crowing." Afterward it was called Calicut, and from this place the first cotton goods were imported into England bearing the word calico.

Regular Hours.

Faithful Colored Servant (to young physician)—Glory be, Dr. Tawn, a sho'nuf patient done come at last. He done come today. But I latter sen' him away. Young Physician—What the deuce did you do that for? Servant—Well, suh, yo' office hours am from 11 to 1. He were gwine on half past when this here gen'man ring de do' bell.—New York Post.

Give Her Away.

"Did the father give the bride away?"

"I should say he did. He got rattled, and what do you think he said as he handed her over to the bridegroom? 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"

Coroner's Verdict in India.

For quabbles it would be hard to beat the verdict returned in India on a man whose fate it had been to assume a tiger's appetite. "That Pandoo died of tiker eatin' him. There was no other cause of death."—London Chronicle.

Keeping Under.

Patience—It is said that a man is generally heaviest in his fortieth year. Wonder if that rule applies to a woman? Patrice—Oh, a woman never gets as heavy as that!—Yonkers Statesman.

Wanted Help.

Four-year-old Mac had been playing with the hammer and mislaid it. Daddy, who is sometimes rather stern, called upon the youngster to bring it. His best friend, a neighboring lady, was helping him search for it and said: "Try to think where you were when you played with it, Mac. Think hard!" The boy, appreciating the gravity of the situation, replied most seriously: "You think, too!"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of THEODORE T. OSGOOD, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to ALBERT P. WORTHEN, Executor, 67 Milk St., Boston, Mass., March 1, 1916.

FORM OF ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INSOLVENT ESTATE.

Estate of Henderson Otis Brown, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, represented insolvent. The Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Henderson Otis Brown and notice is hereby given that six months from the eighth day of March A. D. 1916, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that the Court will receive and examine the claims of creditors at Dedham, on the third day of May, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and at Dedham, on the sixth day of September, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. HOMER F. LIVERMORE, Administrator.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of GEORGE C. DREW

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Lawrence A. Drew of said Weymouth, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation, once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of March A. D. 1916.

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Sec. 128. The owner or keeper of a dog which is three months old or over, shall annually, on or before the thirty-first day of March, cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed for one year from the first day of April following, in the office of the clerk of the city or town in which said dog is kept. The owner or keeper of a licensed dog shall cause it to wear around its neck a collar distinctly marked with its owner's name and its registered number.

Sec. 129. The owner or keeper of a dog may at any time have it licensed until the first day of April following; and a person who becomes the owner or keeper of a dog after the first day of April, which is not duly licensed, and the owner or keeper of a dog not duly licensed which becomes three months old after the thirty-first day of March in any year when it is three months old, cause it to be registered, numbered, described, licensed and collared as provided in the preceding section.

Sec. 130. The fee for every license shall be two dollars for a male dog and five dollars for a female dog, unless a certificate of a registered veterinarian who performed the operation has been filed with the city or town clerk that said female dog has been spayed and has thereby been deprived of the power of propagation, in which case the fee shall be two dollars.

Sec. 131. The owner or keeper of dogs kept for breeding purposes, may annually receive a license authorizing him to keep such dogs upon the premises described in the license. If the number of dogs so kept does not exceed five, the fee for such license shall be twenty-five dollars, and if the number of dogs exceeds five, the fee shall be fifty dollars, and no fee shall be required for the dogs of such owner or keeper which are under the age of six months.

Sec. 137. Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of this chapter, shall, except as provided in Section one hundred and thirty-nine, forfeit not more than fifteen dollars, which shall be paid to the treasurer of the county in which the dog is kept, but in the county of Suffolk said sum shall be paid to the treasurer of the city or town in which said dog is kept.

Sec. 139. No person shall keep or have in his care or possession any bloodhound, excepting an English bloodhound of pure blood whose pedigree is recorded or would be entitled to record in the English bloodhound herd book, or any dog classed by dog fanciers or breeders as Cuban bloodhound or Siberian bloodhound, whether such dog is in whole or in part of such species, unless such dog is kept solely for exhibition. In such case he shall at all times be kept securely enclosed or chained, and shall not be allowed at large even though in charge of a keeper, unless properly and securely muzzled. Chap. 105, Sec. 1, Acts of 1904.

Sec. 139. Whoever keeps a dog described in the preceding section in violation of the provisions thereof shall forfeit fifty dollars. Ten dollars of which shall be paid to the complainant and forty dollars to the treasurer of the county in which said dog is kept, but in the county of Suffolk, the forty dollars shall be paid to the treasurer of the city or town in which said dog is kept.

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—Saturday night at Bates' Opera House
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—The Bassabee club met Monday at the
home of Mrs. Sumner Bowker of Bates
avenue.

—William McCauley is ill with the grip.

—Mrs. Timothy Desmond is recovering
from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

—Miss Bessie McNaught is visiting her
sister, Mrs. Samuel Matthews of Torrey
street.

—E. Thayer MacBride of East Roches-
ter, N. H., spent the week end with his
mother, Mrs. Carrie MacBride of Main
street.

—Mrs. Russell Tinkham has returned
to her Mcford home after a visit with
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tinkham.

—The local order of the Ancient Order
of Hibernians attended mass and received
communion in a body at St. Francis Xav-
ier church Sunday morning.

—Denning H. Loxton left this week on
a business trip to New York. While there
Mr. Loxton is to attend the Willard-Moran
fight at Madison Square Gardens as the
guest of San Francisco friends.

—A minstrel show will be given under
the auspices of the Ladies Social Circle
of the Second Universalist church Thurs-
day evening, March 30.

—The girls of the Christian Endeavor
society of the Old South church gave a
supper and social at the church vestry
last Friday evening. A musical sketch
was presented by the Misses Florence,
Elsie and Doris Munroe, Sarah Rix, Clara
Snowell and Misses Stella Fearing. Miss
Fearing also entertained with readings.
After the entertainment games were en-
joyed.

—Paul Clark of Union street has re-
turned from an extended visit with friends
at Duluth, Minn.

—A committee composed of James Gil-
ligan, James Madden, Leo Madden, Ar-
thur McGroarty and Helen Keefe has been
elected to take charge of the St. Francis
Xavier Minstrels to be given May 19.
Ralph Hawkes of Rockland has been en-
gaged as director of the show.

—The Christian Endeavor society of
the Union church held a supper and social
in the church vestry on Wednesday eve-
ning. After the supper an entertainment
was given, consisting of the one act com-
edy, "Society Spoons" with the follow-
ing cast:—"Cleo Varnell," Lucia Nash;
—"Lydia Varnell," Marion Reed;—"Walter
Varnell," Harold Klingman;—"Hotel Man-
ager," Don Cole.

—Mr. and Mrs. Burt Doble of Highland
place are receiving congratulations on the
birth of a girl, born Friday.

—Charles Reed of Auburdsale, Tech.
'16, was the guest of local friends recently.

—Denning H. Loxton has presented the
Ward 5 firemen a grand piano for their
club room in recognition of their valiant
and earnest services at the fire which de-
stroyed his home on Pond street last
year. The piano is to arrive this week.

—Frank I. Libbey of Newton has taken
possession of the house recently pur-
chased by him on Main street from War-
ren Simpson.

—Fred Hawes of Rockland shipped on
the car track at Independence square last
Wednesday and broke his leg. Mr. Hawes
was walking from the station to Colum-
bian square where he was to take a car
for his home. The injured man was
treated by Dr. Tirrell and carried to his
home by A. S. Marsh.

—Commissioners Alfred W. Donovan
and Edwin Mulready of the State Board
of Labor and Industry, both well known
Rockland men, were painfully injured on
Monday evening, when Mr. Donovan's
limousine, in which they were riding,
skidded on the icy car tracks on Union
street and careened into a ditch. Both
Mr. Donovan and Mr. Mulready were
thrown through the front pane of glass
and both received cuts. Mr. Donovan's
shoulder was also wrenched. The chauff-
eur, although thrown from the car, was
uninjured. The injured men were taken
to a neighboring house and Dr. Osgood
was called. The automobile was not
badly damaged.

—Miss Helen Holbrook of Union street
who was operated on for appendicitis last
week at the Robert Brigham hospital,
Brookline, is improving very rapidly.

—The Columbian Associate All Star
Minstrels gave their minstrel show before
the Old Colony club at its last meeting.

—Mrs. Charles F. Marble has been en-
tertaining her mother, Mrs. Howland Bon-
ney of Plympton.

—The Wessabuckan Camp Fire Girls
met at the home of Rev. Fred A. Line on
Friday evening.

—Rev. Melvin Nash of Hanover spoke
on "Religious Consciousness" at the
Second Universalist church Lenten serv-
ices on Sunday evening.

Universalist Church Notes

At 10.30 the pastor, Rev. Fred A. Line,
will preach the second of a series of spe-
cial doctrinal sermons, his subject being,
"The Human Jesus." Sunday school at
12 o'clock. Mrs. Caroline Barney, state
supervisor of the Massachusetts' Univer-
salist Sunday school association, will ad-
dress the school. Y. P. C. U. meeting at
5.30. At 7 o'clock the Rev. L. J. Richards
of Stoughton will preach. His subject
will be, "The Faith that Saves." A cor-
dial invitation is extended to all. Good
music by vested choir.

Old South Church Notes

Sext Sunday, morning worship at 10.30
with sermon by the pastor. 11.45 Sunday
school. 6.30 combined meeting con-
ducted by the pastor; subject, "Some present
day methods in Home Missions." Thurs-
day, March 30 at 7.30 p. m., Prayer meet-
ing.

Music for Sunday morning:
Anthem, "Te Deum" in E Flat (Woodward)
Solo, "Deep in my Heart," (Blount)
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Union Church, South Weymouth.

Sunday morning worship and sermon.
Pastor will speak on the third in the se-
ries of sermons on Church Life, entitled,
"Money, its Nature and Power and Use."
Sabbath school at 12. C. E. meeting at
6, subject, the phrase in the pledge which
reads, "I will give as I can for the spread
of the Kingdom." "How much of his in-
come should a Christian give away for
benevolent purposes? Through what
channels or agencies should we give?"

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"Edith is a beautiful skater, don't
you think?" "Well, she skates beauti-
fully, if that is what you mean?"

WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDERS.

News of The Lodges About Town.

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eral lodges in town. It is not complete
without all the news of all the lodges. If
your lodge or society holds an event of
interest or is going to hold one, or you
know of an interesting item of any lodge
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Box C Weymouth. Co-operate and make
this column worth while to our readers.

L. A. No. 31 to S. of V.

Ladies' Auxiliary No. 31 of James L.
Bates Camp, S. of V. will celebrate their
20th anniversary with a supper, enter-
tainment and dance in G. A. R. hall, Mon-
day evening, March 27.

D. of V.

Dorothea L. Dix Tent, D. of V., in the
Grand Army hall at East Weymouth, last
Thursday night, held a social, enjoyed a
supper and provided a program in charge
of Mrs. Mabel Vogel, Mrs. Sadie Wolfe,
Mrs. Estelle Whelan and Mrs. Mary Flint.
There were readings by Miss Helen Cor-
ridan, trombone solos by Mrs. Florence
Gallardet, selections by an orchestra and
the comedy "Miss Oliver's Dollar," by
Mrs. Nellie Lound, Miss Anna Williams,
Mrs. Mabel Ford, Mrs. Mary Barrows,
Mrs. Abbie Jordan, Mrs. Mildred Morgan,
Mrs. Mabel Goodlin and Mrs. Carrie Lang-
horst. Dancing was the closing feature.

A. O. H.

Division 9, A. O. H. of East Weymouth
gave a miscellaneous entertainment in
Oddfellows opera house last Thursday
night. There was a good sized audience
present to listen to the program which in-
cluded piano selections by Mrs. William
J. Fitzsimmons of this town and tenor
solos by John McCue of Brockton. Her-
bert A. Clark of Waltham gave several
humorous musical selections and character
impersonations. Thomas Doherty of
Avon gave several baritone solos and
Miss Grace McDonald danced Irish and
Scottish dances in her usual pleasing
manner. There was also a series of motion
pictures. Mrs. William J. Fitzsimmons
was the accompanist.

Division No. 6, A. O. H., and Ladies
Auxiliary No. 2 held a grand concert and
ball at Bates Opera House last Friday
evening. There was a large attendance.
The Liszt quartette finished the enter-
tainment and "Shaws" orchestra ran for
the dancing. President William Daly was
floor director, and Miss Agnes Ward, as-
sistant, with the following aids, Ray-
mond Corridan, Thomas Shea, Joseph
Crehan, James Corridan, Daniel Clancy,
Alice McCarthy, Anna Fogerty, Nellie
Smith, May Wall and Lillian Curran.

K. of C.

In the list of Knights of Columbus
chaplains in this state recently named by
the State Chaplain of the Order, Rev. Fr.
Joseph F. Coppinger P. R. of South Bos-
ton and approved by His Eminence
Cardinal O'Connell, Rev. Dennis J. Crim-
mins was reappointed as chaplain of Wey-
mouth Council 719.

L. M. C.

The Loyal Moose Circle held a whist
party in Moose hall on Monday night.
The favors were taken by Mrs. Lorton
Hutchinson and Daniel Goodwin.

At the meeting of the Woman's Loyal
Circle held Wednesday evening the follow-
ing officers were elected: Helen Beach,
past worthy matron; Jennie Bernhart,
worthy matron; Lizzie Pratt, assistant
matron; Eva Souther, deaconess; Pris-
cilla Manuel, inside guard; Mary Ross,
outside guard; Annie Norman, musician;
Kate Day, trustee three years; Sarah
Hersley and Katherine Mahoney, trustee
one year.

Whist party at Jeanne H. Markarian's
corner, Myrtle and Hawthorn streets,
Monday evening, March 27th.—Adv.

I. O. O. F.

The staff of Willey lodge, I. O. O. F.,
of South Weymouth, exemplified the in-
itiatory degree on a class of candidates
Monday night.

There was an official visit from the dis-
trict deputy president, Mrs. Sadie M.
Wood of Quincy, accompanied by Mrs.
Vergie Sears as grand marshal, Mrs. Lil-
lian Baker as grand warden, and a dele-
gation of 25 from Ellen Lee Rebekah lodge
of Brockton to Steadfast Rebekah lodge
last Monday night. Mrs. Evelyn Sher-
man Philbrook, N. G., presided at the
meeting in Odd Fellows' Opera House,
East Weymouth. There was a banquet.
The officers of Steadfast lodge exemplified
the Rebekah degree. The reception com-
mittee included Mrs. Evelyn S. Philbrook,
Mrs. Ida Sylvester, Mrs. Florence Cor-
thell, Mrs. Mary A. Pratt, Mrs. Mary
French, Mrs. Mary Flint and Mrs. Walter
Curtis.

Willey Lodge I. O. O. F. degree team
journeyed to Mt. Wollaston lodge, Quincy,
on Tuesday evening and worked the 2nd
degree on candidates before an audience
of 300. The party chartered a special
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DEAD AT AGE OF 23.

**Alfred J. Sladen Passes Away After
Lingering Illness.**

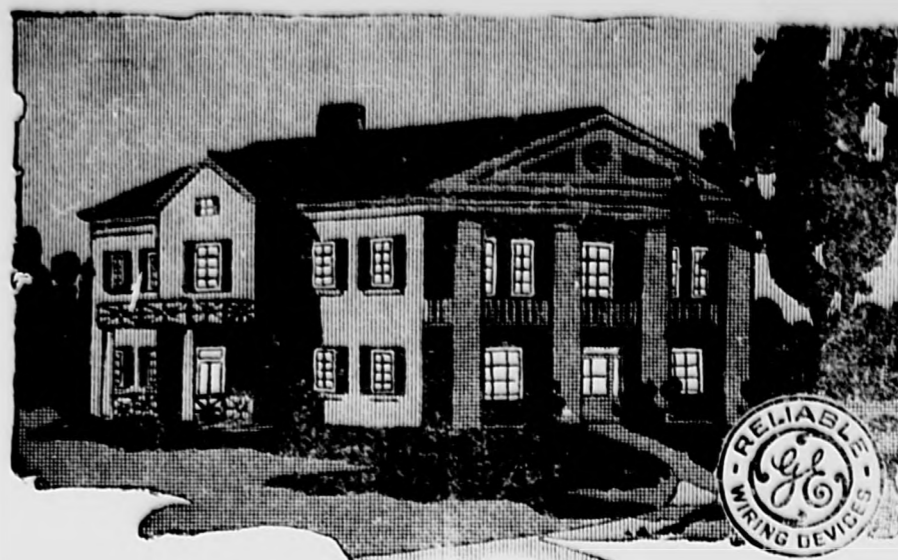
Alfred W. Sladen passed away at the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter
J. Sladen, on Sunday morning, March 19th
at the age of twenty-three. He had been
in declining health since last September,
but it was only for the last two weeks
that he became very ill and was confined
to the house.

He was born and reared in Weymouth
Heights, having obtained his education in
the public schools. During his youth, he
attended the Old North Sunday School,
where he was always held in esteem and
as he grew into manhood, his character
was above reproach.

Funeral services were held from the
Old North Church on Wednesday after-
noon, Rev. Edward J. Yaeger conducting
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Monday Club.

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Groggy, But Game

A Brave Knight's Error and
How He Retrieved It

By JOHN BARTON OXFORD
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"Once every year," to quote Pudge Cassidy, who, having served on innumerable assembly committees, should know all about such things, "the Eddie Riley Associates give an annual ball."

Rogan's hall is hired for the festive occasion. McNulty, the decorator, is given carte blanche in the matter of bunting and lights and imitation palms; Hannigan's Elite orchestra is perched on the platform and genially instructed to do its worst.

The big anteroom at the left of the platform is plentifully supplied with refreshments for the rank and file of the guests, but the smaller anteroom the assembly committee, as is its inalienable right from long established precedent, reserves for itself and its immediate friends.

As a money making proposition the annual ball has long since outlived its usefulness, nor, since it is now a purely social event, is there any need of its proving financially profitable.

For Eddie Riley has made good in his chosen walk of life, and the Eddie Riley Associates, organized as a little company of "boosters," in those uncertain days when Eddie Riley first showed faint symptoms of eventually making a name for himself in the squared circle, no longer find it necessary to give him financial aid, nor yet the benign influence of their moral support.

The annual ball has still survived, the sole organized activity of the associates, and every year at precisely 10 the great Eddie Riley himself condescends to look in on the gala event and, bowing right and left, makes his way across the floor, while the orchestra, no matter what it is playing, switches into the strains of "See, the Conquering Hero Comes," and the burst of acclamatory applause is well nigh deafening.

And happy indeed the lot of that girl whom Mr. Riley, turning slowly about and letting the lights sparkle on the two enormous diamonds in the studs of his shirt front, the while he runs an appraising eye over the ladies present, asks for the first dance.

It was at the twelfth annual ball that the cutting short of a twostep for the blaring of "See, the Conquering Hero Comes," announced Mr. Riley's advent.

Left and right swept his keen glance from the cold gray eyes under the prominent brows and rested finally on a smiling girl in pink chiffon seated on



"WOULD YER HONOR ME, MA'AM, WIT THIS TWOSTEP?"

one of the settees at the edge of the dancing floor.

There was something decidedly attractive about the girl in pink, and perhaps part of her charm lay in the fact that she chatted blithely with another girl beside her, paying not the least attention to Mr. Riley's triumphant entry.

There was, too, something about the cleft in her chin and the poise of her head that he liked immensely.

Therefore, when the tumult accompanying his arrival had somewhat subsided and the orchestra had resumed its interrupted twostep, he made his way straight to her side.

Straight up to her he made his way, put his left hand behind his back, airily and gracefully fluttered his right hand to the top button of his dress vest and bowed low.

"Would yer honor me, ma'am, wit this twostep?" he asked in his most engaging manner.

The girl looked up at him with a little frown.

Her gray eyes took on a hint of fire. "I will—not!" she said very icily. Eddie Riley got the shock of his life. That any girl should refuse him the

first dance—or any other dance, for that matter—was unbelievable.

"Excuse me, ma'am!" he managed to falter with much embarrassment, and, to save his shattered forces so far as possible, he turned quickly to Annie Bogan, who was sitting a few seats away.

"Will yer do the twostep wit' me, Annie?" he mumbled, and, giving her no time for eager acquiescence, he took her arm and whirled her away into the maze of dancers, his face still very red, and his mind more than a little bewildered.

"Say, Annie," he managed to sputter when a few turns of the twostep had given him back some semblance of self control, "who was that doll that trun me down just now—the one in pink there?"

"I dunno, Eddie. I never seen her before," the girl in his arms replied.

"Say, find some one that knows her and get me introduced proper, will yer?" Riley requested.

"Sure," said the obliging Annie as the twostep came to an end and Riley deposited her on the settees at the other side of the floor.

A few minutes later Annie Bogan tugged at Riley's sleeve as he stood talking with some of the associates near the smaller anteroom.

"Wot do yer know about it, Eddie?" she said, as she drew him to one side and spoke in lowered tones. "That doll in pink must have it in for you. Pudge Cassidy knows her, and I set him on to her to get yer introduced. She ups and tells Pudge she don't want no introduction, and if he values his scalp not to bring yer round, or words to that effect."

Mr. Riley turned his eyes toward the vision in pink, who still sat where he had first seen her.

A puzzled look was in his little eyes. Just then the orchestra struck up a waltz, and Annie Bogan went whirling away in the embrace of a young man who ambled up to claim his dance.

Not without overcoming all sorts of opposition had Eddie Riley fought up to the proud position he held in the contemporary ring.

A dogged light came into his eyes as he looked again at the girl in pink, who had not as yet been taken for that particular waltz.

In a moment he was across the floor and standing once more before her.

"Excuse me for buttin' in again," said he quite steadily this time, "but would yer mind tellin' me why yer don't want to dance wit' me and why yer wouldn't let Cassidy introduce me to yer?"

She favored him with a momentary frown of annoyance.

"Maybe it would be well to tell you, and then perhaps you'll not be botherin' me," she said quite calmly. "My name is Conlin—Nellie Conlin. Does that tell you anything?"

"Some relation to Spike Conlin?" Riley asked, sitting down beside her and ignoring, but not without certain mental reservations, the manner in which she moved away to the end of the settee.

"His sister," she explained.

"And you're sore, with the rest of his friends, because I won't take him on for a go till he's went and made a name for himself like I had to do?" he asked quietly. "Is that it?"

The girl's eyes blazed. Her under lip curled scornfully.

"Maybe you thought you could use Spike to fatten the roll of your friend, Timmy Shannon, and then have Spike's friends fall at your feet and bless you for it," she said, with sarcasm.

"Didn't you tell Spike to take on Timmy Shannon and if he won that bout you would take Spike on yourself? And didn't you fix it up between you so that, win or lose, Shannon got just about all the money?"

"And didn't Spike work his life out trainin' for that fight and we all backin' him because we knew if he won he'd have a chance for big money when he met you?"

"And what did you do after Spike had won his fight with Shannon? You said he'd better get more reputation. You know what you've done, but maybe you don't know the consequences."

"Tell me the consequences," Riley urged.

"The consequences are that Spike's disheartened with the crookedness of you and the rest of them and has thrown it all up and is goin' downhill as fast as he can just because his heart is broke and he's discouraged, as I don't blame him for being. That's all I've got to say, except that I hate the sight of you. Now, please let me alone."

"Come to the next ball the associates give, Miss Conlin, and maybe you'll feel differently toward me."

The girl merely stared at him with hard eyes, and he moved slowly away with tight set lips.

He made his way to the anteroom—the smaller one—where Pudge Cassidy was royally entertaining Mr. Riley's manager.

"Sam," said Mr. Riley to the latter gentleman, "yer wantin' fix a go for me wit' this Spike Conlin that's been boundin' us of late. Yer wantin' fix it up for some time next month at the Arena club, see?"

"Say, I'll do all the match makin' as I see fit, Eddie, without no buttin' in from you," the other began, but Riley cut him short with a wave of his hand.

"You go on and fix it like I tell yer if yer value yer measly hide, Sam," he said irritably. "And, say, don't go to askin' no questions now or later, for I shan't feel like answerin' 'em. You see Spike's crowd and fix it for next month."

The downfall of Eddie Riley came like a bolt out of the blue. No one had taken seriously his bout with Spike Conlin at the Arena club. That Spike would prove the easiest of pickings for a man of Eddie Riley's caliber was a foregone conclusion.

When, therefore, at the beginning of the fourth round of that historic bat-

tle Riley received an ordinary looking uppercut on the jaw and went down on his face and amid an awful hush received the fateful count for the first time in his career the sporting fraternity received the shock of the century.

Strangely enough, Riley himself seemed in nowise crushed by this unlooked for disaster, coming at the height of his career.

He called together several of the most influential members of the Eddie Riley Associates, told them the truth as to his financial condition and suggested, as a means of raising a little coin for his immediate needs until such time as he could get on his feet and "come back," as he promised them unequivocally would be the case, that



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they give the annual ball at once—in January, instead of waiting until the last of the year.

"And, say, you wantin' make a nice little wad out of it for me this trip," he counseled, "Nix on the big orchestra; nix on so much buntin' and lights and palms."

The Eddie Riley Associates, loyal to their idol even in his adversity, bestrided themselves.

Never had one of their annual balls been run on such economical lines; never was there such cutting of financial corners, such auditing of accounts.

As usual, Riley appeared on the scene promptly at 10. For very obvious reasons it was thought best to omit the strains of "See the Conquering Hero," for this one occasion at least.

Indeed, Eddie slipped into the place alone and so quietly that only a faint ripple of applause from some of the most faithful marked his coming.

But Eddie Riley's face wore a smile of great happiness, which grew more pronounced as he noticed a girl in pink sitting on the settee just where he had seen her at that last ball.

With never a moment's hesitation he had crossed the floor to her side.

"You'll honor me wit' this twostep, Miss Conlin," he said, and his inflection made it an assertion and not a question.

Then came the worst shock of all.

"I will—not!" she said flatly. Eddie Riley was noted for taking punishment in the ring with never a quaver. But at the girl's words the color left his face.

Twice he tried to speak before his dry lips finally got out the words.

"And may I ask why?" he said hoarsely. "Ain't I squared it yet?"

"Is that what you thought I wanted?" She shot the words at him venomously. "Did you think that last time you talked to me here that I would stoop to beggin'?"

Did you dream I wanted you to get that fight with Spike just to lay down to him and let him get all that coin you put up with him at fool odds? What do you think of me anyway? I hate you—hate you for thinkin' that of me!"

Riley's eyes opened wider and wider. "I wanted you to take him on to give him a show, but I wanted it to be an honest show, the best man to win, and—and—you went and laid down to him. He couldn't 'a' had a show with you if you hadn't."

Riley gathered his shattered forces as best he could. "I'm sorry," he said simply. "I thought—I thought—well, never mind what I thought. I went and made an awful mess of it. Good night."

He turned on his heel, but before he had taken a step in retreat he felt her fingers on his arm.

"Forgive me, Mr. Riley," she said contritely, her eyes turned from his. "I'm too hard on you. It was fine, fine what you did—awful fine, in a way—but it made me mad to think you thought I had begged it of you."

"Oh, that's all right! Forget it," said he unsteadily.

"And—and—just ask me to dance again and—I will," she said softly.

Whirling through the maze of dancers, she looked up at him and smiled. "But to make good with me, like you say you're tryin' to do, you'll have to take him on again and do your best against him too," said she.

Riley looked down at her flushed face and felt his head spinning joyously.

"I'll kill him if you say the word!" he promised cheerfully.

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Good Enough.

"Do you think you can support my daughter in the style to which she has become accustomed?" "No, sir, but I think I can support her in the style to which her mother had to become accustomed when she got married."

Resented Typewritten Letter.

A catalogue of farming implements sent out by a manufacturer finally found its way to a remote village, where it was evidently welcomed with interest. The firm received a carefully written, if somewhat clumsily expressed, letter, asking further particulars about one of the articles advertised. To this, in the usual course of business, was sent a typewritten answer. Almost by return of post came a reply: "You need not print your letter to me. I can read writing."

Following Are a Few of the Items Which Appeared in the Gazette Years Ago This Week.

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO.

Numerous inquiries have been made as to when the electric railway company is going to start to get their tracks cleared and run their cars. The work of clearing the track and completing the line between Shaws corner and Braintree will be commenced next week. They are at work at the present time strengthening the bridge at L. W. Morrison's. It is very probable the cars will be running within two weeks.

Monday night, about quarter past twelve while Officer Peare was making his regular rounds in East Weymouth, he smelled smoke and almost immediately discovered flames issuing from the stable of Z. L. Bicknell in the rear of his store. He immediately rang in the alarm from box 23 and with some help went to the stable to try to get out the horses and other property.

The fire had advanced to such an extent that little or nothing was saved from the building and three horses, one quite valuable and all the other contents of the stable were destroyed.

Not as many Weymouth men as gathered at the State house at the two hearings on town division, yet a good number of representative people of both sides were there yesterday to hear the argument of counsel for and against the proposed scheme.

Messrs. Cook and Wortien appeared for the remonstrants and Mr. Cook in an address of an hour set forth the reasons why the proposed division should not be made. The argument was clear and logical and was quite satisfactory to his side of the question.

Mr. Long followed for the petitioners and with his usual ease and grace brushed away the objections raised to the satisfaction of the petitions, and now the matter will rest in the hands of the legislative committee until Tuesday, the 9th of April.

EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO.

Dr. E. N. Mayberry will be given a house-warming next Friday night from 8 to 10 o'clock by a large number of his friends.

Tomorrow in the adjourned town meeting the question of offices for the town officers will come up. The selectmen and assessors have inspected the offices in the Hunt building.

The masons have finished the plastering work at the Fogg library and the carpenters will now begin the work of finishing up. The teamsters have been busy this week carting sand to be used in grading around the building.

The automatic sprinkler system in the factory of M. C. Dizer & Co. saved the village from the loss of its greatest industry during last Saturday night. Early Sunday morning water was discovered flowing from the building and on investigation it was found that a fire had started on the second or cutting room floor and the automatic system had worked to a nicely extinguishing the blaze.

THEY JUST MADE HIM SING.

When Scanlan Wooded Minister Wu and the Chinese Officials.

When W. J. Scanlan was in the show business he invaded Washington on one occasion with a brand new comic opera. In order to give the piece a fine sendoff he formulated the plan of sending free tickets for boxes to the president, the cabinet members and other men high in social life.

"That won't do," one of his newspaper friends told him. "Too common. Do something picturesque. Why don't you go after Mr. Wu, the Chinese minister? If you get him he will bring down a lot of other diplomatic people."

Scanlan fell for the proposition and called at the Chinese legation.

"What sort of show is this?" asked Mr. Wu.

"It's a comic opera," replied Scanlan. "Any good jokes in it?"

Scanlan said it was full of good jokes.

"Tell me some of them," commanded Mr. Wu.

Scanlan did so, and Wu got such a series of laughs out of them that he sent for his whole establishment, numbering thirty-two people, and made the embarrassed Scanlan tell them all over again.

"Now," continued Wu, "are there any good songs in this show?"

"The show had so many good songs," declared Scanlan, "that we had to throw some of them away."

"All right," said Wu. "Sing me some of the best."

"I sang them," said Scanlan, telling the story afterward. "But that wasn't so remarkable. I had to sing 'em. There were thirty-two Chinamen to make me sing 'em. The amazing part of the thing was that all thirty-two of them came to see the show that night."—Popular Magazine.

Really Serious.

The famous detective gasped as he arrived at the scene of the crime. "Heavens," said he, as he looked at the window through which the thief had escaped, "this is more serious than I had expected! It's broken on both sides!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Light of the Firefly.

Probably as far back as 1733 it was known that the luminous parts of fireflies, glowworms, etc., could be dried and preserved out of contact with the air for considerable periods without losing their light giving power. In late years it has been possible to prove this permanence of the light giving power for at least eighteen months. Kastle and McDermitt were able, upon opening tubes containing the luminous organs of the common firefly preserved in hydrogen or a vacuum, to obtain quite a brilliant light by simply moistening with water. The light was increased when hydrogen peroxide replaced water. However, scientists have yet to discover the firefly's secret of producing light without heat.

A City of Corpses.

The city of Kum, in Persia, has long had a reputation as a city of corpses. There are said to be more illustrious dead buried in Kum than in any other Persian city except Meshad. One of the few women honored in the country of the shah has a magnificent shrine erected here—Fatima, sister of Imam Riza. Eleven hundred years ago she was laid to rest in Kum, and everybody who is anybody in Persia still degrades sepulture beside her.—London Chronicle.

Derby's Market Stone.

In Derby, England, there is a curious relic of the great plague of 1665. It stands in the arboretum gardens and is commonly called "the market stone." To avoid infection the country folk from the surrounding villages would leave their orders for anything they might want with the watchman, who used to go into the town, make the necessary purchases and deposit them on "the market stone."

Addition.

"Now, Robert," said his teacher, "if your mother gave you two apples and your brother gave you three more how many would you have?" "I'd have two good apples and three wormy ones," was Robert's prompt reply.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Connubial Repartee.

The husband—I do not know just how I offended her, I'm sure. The wife—No wonder, Charles; you have such a lot of ways!—Puck.

Happiness is the ever retreating summit on the hill of ambition.—Chicago News.

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- 115—Pearl and Norton Sts.
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- 116—Bridge and Saunders Sts.
- 17—Sea and North Sts.
- 18—Lovell and Bridge Sts.
- 19—Church and North Sts.
- 21—Broad and Whitman Sts.
- 23—Jackson Square.
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- 27—Wharf St.
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- 32—Congress and Washington Sts.
- 34—Front St., beyond Federal St.
- 35—Prospect and Granite Sts.
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- 37—Engine House No. 3.
- 38—Washington Square.
- 39—Lumber Wharves.
- 41—Lovell's Corner.
- 42—Elm and Pleasant Sts.
- 43—Nash's Corner.
- 45—Park Ave. and Main St.
- 46—Middle and Washington Sts.
- 47—Pleasant and Canterbury Sts.
- 48—Lake View Park.
- 49—Pratt Schoolhouse.
- 441—Pine and Park Sts.
- 51—Pleasant St., front Otis Torrey's.
- 52—Engine House No. 5.
- 53—Independence Square.
- 54—Pond St., front Hollis' Mill.
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- 56—Thicket and Pond Sts.
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Calendar of County Courts.

Supreme Judicial Court Jury Sitting, third Tuesday of February.

Superior Court, Civil Sessions—For work with jury—First Monday of January, first Monday of May, and first Monday of October. For Court work—First Monday of February, first Monday of April, first Monday of September, and first Monday of December.

Superior Court, Criminal Sessions—First Monday of April; first Monday of September; first Monday of December.

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WEYMOUTH AND EAST BRAINTREE

—Saturday night at Bates' Opera House Mary Pickford in "Little Pal."—Adv.

—Long Whist club will hold its weekly party in Long's hall, Braintree on Friday evening, Mar. 24. Among the souvenirs will be wicker chairs, couch hammocks, wool blankets, parlor desks, rugs and many other useful and valuable articles.—Adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Ahern of Brockton have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Patrick Ahern.

—Mrs. Harriett B. Batchelder, president; Mrs. J. Herbert Walsh, vice president; Mrs. Frederick O. Sterling, secretary; and Mrs. Paul V. Garvin, treasurer, are the newly elected officers of the Unity Circle of King's Daughters at Weymouth.

—William Moore of the U. S. Coast Artillery band, stationed at Ft. William, Portland Harbor, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Moore of Kensington road.

—Miss Marjorey Eaton of Nashua, N. H., has been visiting Miss Evelyn Floyd.

—Hiram Helman of Athol, a former resident, was in town over Sunday visiting friends.

—Messrs. Worster and Bond of Weymouth have been very busy building the booths in the store to be used as the exhibition hall during Merchant's week.

—Geo. P. Smith, Jr., superintendent of the Old Colony Gas Co., has been appointed a member of the Illuminating Committee of the National Commercial Gas Association.

—Mrs. Edwin R. Senior entertained the members of the Putnam whist club at her home, 104 Front street last Friday evening.

—Miss Margaret Connell of Stoughton is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Ford.

—Mrs. Sarah Clapp of Washington street, who has been seriously ill is now rapidly regaining her health.

—The Ladies' Cemetery association has voted to appropriate \$300 for improvements at Village cemetery.

—The condition of George H. Baker, who was taken ill while in Dayton, Ohio, on a business trip, is now much improved and is expected to be able to return home next week.

—Community Vesper service next Sunday evening at seven o'clock, under the united auspices of the churches of Weymouth and East Braintree, Union Congregational church, Sunday at seven. Cordial welcome to all.—Adv.

—This is the first year in the memory of the oldest inhabitants that the smelts have not been up the brook before this time. The latest date they have made their appearance previously is March 8. At the present time there is from 12 to 18 inches of ice on the river. Captain Charles E. Torrey, who is an authority on these matters, says that it will be April first before a smelt will be seen in the brook. He says it has never been possible before this year to fish through the ice on the river after March 14. Captain Everett Whitmarsh, who has lived along side the river all his life says he never remembers anything like it before.

—"The Danger of Losing Faith," will be the subject of Rev. William Hyde's sermon at Trinity Episcopal church, next Sunday morning and the evening subject will be "Israel's Gate or the Freedom of the Seas."

—The members of the local fire department have voted unanimously to request the selectmen to appoint Captain Henry W. Phillips, district engineer in place of Wallace Bicknell, who is not a candidate for re-appointment.

—The annual parish meeting of the First Universalist church will be held Monday evening, March 27 at 8 o'clock.

—Mayflower chapter of Eastern Star will hold a dance in Pythian hall Tuesday evening, April 4.

—The annual dramatics of the Philergians of Braintree were held last Tuesday night in Bates Opera House. For the first time in the history of the club men were allowed to attend the performance, which was that of "Fanny and the Servant Problem," by Jerome K. Jerome. The affair was most successful, artistically and financially, and was under the direction of the dramatic committee of which Mrs. J. C. Danforth is chairman.

—The Calumet Campfire Girls will hold a food sale in Kempl's drug store in Washington square to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon from 2:30 to 6. Adv.

Union Church Notes.

Morning worship at 10:30. Rev. Stephen C. Lang of Quincy will preach in exchange with the minister.

Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock.

Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, the first of a series of Union Vesper services, conducted by the Baptist, Universalist and Congregational churches will be held in Union church. The address will be given by Rev. Arthur Mercer. Special music will be furnished by Mrs. Charlotte Goodby, contralto soloist, and Miss Marion Moorhouse, cellist.

Prayer Meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Subject, "Parables of Human Choice."

There will be a meeting of the Social Welfare League with Mrs. Walter Thompson, Wednesday evening, at 7:30. Mrs. Harry F. South is delegate from Union church.

Any person desirous of securing a copy of the new hymn books for their own personal use, are requested to communicate with the Pastor at their earliest convenience. An order will be sent early next week.

LOVELL'S CORNER

—Mrs. Mary Woodbury fell and cracked a bone in her wrist last Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Walter Fish and children who have been visiting Mrs. Charles Turner have returned to their home in North Attleboro. Mrs. Seed, Mrs. Turner's mother accompanied them.

—A meeting of the Sunday School board will be held after the prayer meeting Friday night.

—Next Sunday Rev. Karl Thompson will preach his farewell sermon at the Porter church. Mr. Thompson leaves immediately for the West.

WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS

—Mrs. Joseph Severance of Union avenue entertained the girls' bowling club of the Clapp Memorial association at her home on Friday evening. The party was in the form of a masquerade and a jolly evening was spent by all.

—Miss Annie K. Jones has been spending a few days with friends in Wellesley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Smith entertained Mr. and Mrs. Leighton of Newton on Sunday.

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—D. H. Clancy, Undertaker, office 28 Vine street. Tel.—Adv.

—Mrs. Charles T. Humphrey of 431 Middle street is under the doctor's care at her home, suffering from a case of tonsillitis.

—The factory of Geo. E. Keith was obliged to shut down last Saturday on account of trouble with the engine.

—Mrs. J. Otis Bates and daughter, Bessie, of 41 Charles street have been confined to their home this week with the prevailing epidemic, tonsillitis.

—Miss Melissa Chase, teacher at the Jefferson school, leaves tonight, (Friday) for a trip to New York, Philadelphia and Washington, the school being closed next week for the spring vacation.

—Miss Persis Tuttle, principal of the Jefferson school, will spend the spring vacation at her native town, Warren, Mass.

—The bursting of a steam pipe at the factory of George Strong on Middle street, last Sunday night at 10:50 started the automatic alarm and box 29 sounded. Combination 2 was soon on the spot, but their services were not needed, there being no fire.

—Ipswich hosiery, sanitary dye, 6 pairs for 75cts at C. R. Denbroeder's, Clothing store, 750 Broad street.—Adv.

—George E. Perry, water commissioner and superintendent of the Weymouth Light & Power Co. is driving a new Hudson car.

—Henry P. Tilden of 238 Middle street is confined to his home this week, with a bad case of the gripple. Mr. Tilden was obliged to give up work last Saturday and on reaching home, placed himself under the care of Dr. Joseph Chase Jr. Today Mr. Tilden is reported as well on the road to better health.

—Mrs. Elvin H. Raymond of 24 Shawmut street was called to Bridgewater the first of the week on account of the death of her father, who was a resident of that place.

—Mrs. William W. Castle of 280 Lake street, who has not been in the best of health during the winter months, is now slowly regaining her health. Her friends will be glad to hear of her improvement.

—We have not changed our headache powders. Use Lebbossiere's.—Adv.

—Mrs. Elmer E. Leonard, president; Mrs. Fred V. Garey and Mrs. Joseph E. Sampson, vice presidents; Mrs. Edwin E. Merchant, secretary; Mrs. J. Herbert Libby, treasurer; were the officers elected for the ensuing year, at the annual meeting of the Ladies' Social circle of the Congregational church held last Friday afternoon in the church parlors.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Sampson of 626 Broad street entertained the Golden Rule circle of King's Daughters, at their home last Friday night, it being the 25th anniversary of the circle. Mrs. Sampson was the first president of this circle, and is again its president. Miss Grace W. Mitchell, first vice president of the circle and Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Edward T. Ford of the Congregational church were guests. A historical paper was read by Mrs. Edward E. Orr. Mrs. Parker L. Tirrell, a member of the circle, who is to leave East Weymouth in the near future was presented with a framed picture.

—Goodrich Rubber Clothing also boots and rubbers at C. R. Denbroeder's clothing store, 750 Broad street.—Adv.

—Walter Howley, foreman of the local street railway division, is considerably indignant with the weatherman. So much snow has kept Walter going night and day to keep the tracks clear and about a week ago, his physical condition reached the limit and he has been laid up at his home for the past few days. Walter says "too much snow is a plenty."

—Syrup Hypophosphites compound, good spring tonic. Lebbossiere's.—Adv.

—Trouble in the past with their engine has caused the officials at the George E. Keith factory No. 8 to close a contract early this week with the Weymouth Light and Power Co. to furnish the factory with power. An equipment, totalling 75 horse power has been installed by the power company.

—Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Spinney entertained the Monday Night club at their home on Hawthorne street on Monday night. What was played and Mrs. J. W. Vining and Harry B. Torrey were the winners of the favors. A collation was served.

—George L. Bates and Harry G. Studley have purchased house lots on Beach street, Wollaston Park. Mr. Studley contemplates building at once.

—Miss Esther Leonard of Mt. Ida Seminary, Newton, is home for a ten days' vacation.

—Charles A. Lyman of Grant street has accepted a position on a lighthouse in Boston Harbor.

—Mrs. Winslow M. Tirrell entertained the Inasmuch Circle of King's Daughters with a covered dish party at her home yesterday.

—Misses Clara Wilder, Katherine Hanley and Margaret Reidy are home from Bridgewater Normal for the spring vacation.

—Frank Horte, conductor on the Bay State Street Railway, is laid up with a bad hand, the X-Ray showing broken bones.

—Leo Fraher has resigned his position at Mechanics Institute at Rumford, Maine and is at his home for the present.

—Charles B. Cushing has been confined to his home this week with a slight attack of the grip.

—At the Electric Light Co.'s plant a new 500 K. W. turbine and a new condenser have been installed.

—There will be a meeting of the Fairmount Cemetery circle next Thursday afternoon, March 30th at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Harrington on Shawmut street.

Congregational Church Notes.

On account of the severe storm of March 15, the Ladies Social Union sociable was postponed and will be held on Thursday evening, the 30th. Tickets procured for the 15th will be good for this night.

At the regular Senior C. E. meeting on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, Dr. Ford will give an illustrated talk on "India: the Madura Mission."

The Goodfellowship club will hold its next meeting Wednesday evening, March 29 with a supper at 6:30.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends for their kindness to us during our sorrow and for the beautiful floral tributes sent to our loved one.

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President, Charles A. Hayward
Vice-Presidents, Edward W. Hunt, James H. Flint

15 Trustees
Charles A. Hayward, Charles F. Vaughan, Francis H. Cowing, Charles G. Sheppard, Edward W. Hunt, William A. Thayer, Clarence P. Whittle, Charles G. Jordan, James H. Flint, W. Edward Gutterton, John J. Loud, Albert P. Worthen, Granville E. Field, Charles M. Taylor, Arthur E. Pratt, Charles T. Crane, Charles T. Hunt

At the quarterly meeting of the Trustees held at the close of the annual meeting, the following named Trustees were chosen as the

Board of Investment
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Auditors, Charles G. Sheppard, William E. Thayer, W. Edward Gutterton

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Goodfellowship Club Hold Third Meeting of the Season.

The Goodfellowship Mens club connected with the First Congregational church, East Weymouth, held a well attended meeting in the church on Wednesday evening.

At six-thirty o'clock a roast beef supper was served by A. L. Rousseau in his usual high class way. The waiters were Ralph H. Haskins, chm., Arthur T. Rousseau, Fred N. Bates, Ralph H. Bates, W. Lincoln Pratt and Davis D. Randall.

At the business meeting following with the president Dr. J. H. Libby, presiding, it was voted to hold the annual ladies night meeting in April and it was also decided that a committee be appointed to arrange a membership list for the coming year.

The meeting then adjourned to the chapel and listened to an illustrated demonstration of the workings of the plants of the big "Meat Packing Industry". D. E. MacDodd and A. H. Cowett, representatives of Swift & Co. of Chicago had the program in charge and the 65 pictures gave conclusive evidence to all that the meat and by-products which pass through the plant of Swift & Co. are absolutely pure and clean.

Crescent Lodge I. O. O. F. of East Weymouth Entertains with Comedy and Dance.

The Crescent Social club connected with Crescent lodge, I. O. O. F., presented the comedy, "A Mock Initiation" to a large audience in Odd Fellows' opera house last Thursday night.

Alfred W. Gardner as Job Whiteside, a colored janitor of the college, is a candidate for initiation into the "Ancient Order of the Knights of Chivalry." When the boys of the order began the initiation, the fun commenced. His answers to the questions put to him were funny in the extreme and the stunts he was obliged to perform were wonderful to behold. Just as the situation was getting serious, the professor and the president of the college appeared and order was restored, but not until the two had quite a scare.

Mr. Gardner as the star of the company performed in his usual interesting manner and the rest of the actors did their parts well.

The others taking part were Henry Pratt, Charles W. Burgess, Oliver J. Horton, Irving H. Tirrell, Walter J. Ryerson, Charles Q. Marion, Burleigh W. French, Arthur A. Corbell, John House, Augustus Q. Williams, Andrew Auld, Minot L. Mathewson, Charles M. Taylor and John P. Hunt.

After the "lodge" closed the floor was cleared and dancing followed until 12 o'clock, music being furnished by the Crescent orchestra connected with the lodge.

P. N. G. Henry C. Pratt had charge of the floor assisted by other members of the committee.

East Weymouth Y. P. S. C. E. Winner of Banner.

At the quarterly meeting of the Clark Christian Endeavor Union held in the First Baptist church, Hingham last Friday night, the East Weymouth society was well represented. Emerson R. Dizer of the Y. P. S. C. E. of East Weymouth was the presiding officer. The Rev. Allen H. Bissell of Hingham conducted the devotional exercises and Harry Fekkes, president of the Hingham society welcomed the guests.

The subject of the evening's talk was "Rescue Work" and was given by P. C. Call, superintendent of the Union Rescue Mission of Boston. Allen Monroe of South Weymouth, president of the Union conducted the roll call and business session.

With a record of 84 percent for the best record of work for the past quarter, and the largest percentage of membership in attendance, the Y. P. S. C. E. of the East Weymouth Congregational church, was the winner of a banner given by the Union. The society from the Scituate Methodist church was second with a percentage of 83. The presentation was made by Rev. Ora A. Price of South Weymouth and Arthur Rousseau of the East Weymouth society received the banner.

The Madura Mission: India.

With the Christian Endeavor societies of the Old North and Pilgrim Congregational churches and the Epworth League of the Methodist church as invited guests the society of the First Congregational church, East Weymouth, listened to an illustrated lecture on "India: The Madura Mission" in the chapel on last Sunday night at six o'clock. Wonderful progress is being made by the missionaries in this land and the local society will in all probability do something definite along the missionary line at an early date.

MRS. IRENE LOUD OBITUARY.

Widow of Clarence Loud Dies in Her 60th Year.

Mrs. Irene Loud, widow of Clarence Loud, passed away Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George H. Shaw of Union street, South Weymouth, with whom she had made her home for the past three years, after an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Loud was 59 years of age and leaves a son, Stacey of Boston and a daughter, Mrs. George Shaw. She was a native of Bridgewater and came to South Weymouth at an early age and had always made her home here.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon from the home of Mrs. George Shaw, Rev. Ora A. Price conducting the services. Burial was at Mt. Hope cemetery.

In Film Land.

"Abe" Rousseau announced that he will show "The Christian", Hall Caine's wonderful masterpiece, in the Odd Fellows' hall on the afternoon and evening of Saturday, March 31. All seats will be reserved for these two performances, so it behooves the "movie" lovers to get their tickets early.

Ben Wilson, the Universal actor director, is working on a detective series called "The Voice on the Wire", in five episodes of two reels each, each a separate story, but each an experience of the voice on the wire.

Frank Clark, Selig star, was formerly a well-known theatrical manager in Australia.

At Bates Opera house Wednesday evening Manager Bates presented "The Rug-makers Daughter" a drama of five reels. As an attraction for to-morrow night (Saturday) "The Clue" a Lasky production in 5 reels with Blanche Sweet will star at this house.

Harry Beaumont, who takes one of the leading parts in "The Discard", Essanay multiple reel feature, is a fight fan. He is now writing a two-reel comedy drama built on the humorous efforts of two near champions to reach the top. Beaumont will play the lead himself.

Clyde Fitch's great play, "The Woman in the Case," is to be given elaborate production by the Lubin Company of Philadelphia.

Social Welfare.

The Social Welfare League held a most successful meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Walter E. Thompson.

The charitable and philanthropic societies of Weymouth had been invited to send delegates and over twenty were thus represented.

Miss Laura Woodbury of the Boston Associated Charities and the Bevelly S. P. C. C. spoke, explaining the need of co-operation among the societies in any community, of the great changes in the modern methods in dealing with charitable problems, of the advantages of a Confidential Exchange Bureau and the methods by which the waste of effort in social work may be lessened and avoided. Her talk was very practical and her suggestions most helpful as to the applying of systematized social effort and neighborhood work. She showed the needs of a committee representing all of the societies in the community who are interested in social and charitable or relief work so that there might be co-operation and sustained effort among them instead of spasmodic work of different groups often duplicating each other and sometimes leaving other worthy cases untouched.

Miss Woodbury's remarks were most ably supplemented by suggestions and explanations by Mr. E. W. Hunt, representing the Overseers of the Poor; Dr. Doucette of the Board of Health and several of the delegates from different societies.

King Cove Boat Club Notes.

The auxiliary to the King Cove Boat Club held an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Irving Morgan, Standish street, on Wednesday. It being the hostess' birthday she was presented with a "huge" mince pie and two cakes with candles decorated the table. Much good work is accomplished for the coming year.

Saturday evening a whist party was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Wolfe, Leonard road. First prize for ladies went to Mrs. Charles Abbott, first to go to Charles Higgs, moving prize to Charlotte Stoddard, booby prize for ladies to Ida Noyes and for gentlemen to George Tirrell.

On April 18th another meeting of the circle will be held in the afternoon and a business meeting in the evening at the Club-house. A supper will be served at six o'clock.

OBSERVE CHILDREN'S DAY.

Monday Club Entertains Young People in Pleasing Manner.

Bright skies and happy faces were visible at the gathering of the Monday club this week, when Children's Day was celebrated at Odd Fellows hall, East Weymouth. About 450 were in attendance. Mrs. Merchant's orchestra furnished music and the exercises commenced with a grand march; when all the children were received by the president, Mrs. E. R. Sampson, who welcomed her young guests in a most cordial manner, and then presented with favors.

The program of the afternoon, in charge of Mrs. J. Herbert Libby, consisted of a piano solo by Channing Libby; recitation by Miss Isabelle McCobb; Spanish dance, the Marian Nash and Dorothy Smith; recitation, Miss Louise McCobb; fire dance, Miss Helen Linnehan; character song, Miss Barbara and Master Benjamin Lord; dance, "Rose of Mexico," Miss Esther Leonard; clown dance, Misses Nash and Smith; specialty dance, Miss Linnehan.

Refreshments followed the interesting and entertaining program, served by the hospitality committee, Miss Lillian Curtis in charge. Dancing followed and at all times during the afternoon, the youngsters seemed perfectly happy and it is quite certain that many future club members were among the number of children present.

The next meeting of the club will be at the opera house on Monday afternoon, April 3, when the High School Glee club, under the direction of Mr. Calderwood, will entertain. This will be an open meeting and it is hoped there will be many guests.

POPULARITY INCREASING.

Community meetings at East Weymouth appeal to all.

The Community Welfare service held in the Congregational church East Weymouth on Sunday evening, was attended by about 300 persons.

These gatherings are meeting with the approval of the people as is shown by the attendance and the church is happy to be able to give the public such beneficial services.

Dr. Edward T. Ford presided and led the devotional exercises. There was a short praise service with Fred V. Garey as organist followed by an illustrated lecture on "Beautiful Hawaii or our country in the Mid-Pacific Ocean". The slides were many and beautiful and the contrasts between the country as it was and as it is were most wonderful and this progress was first begun by the work of the Christian Missionaries.

Next Sunday evening there will be a musical program arranged by Fred V. Garey. The young ladies Vested Choir will sing and they will be assisted by Grace Schmeisser of Boston, mezzo soprano and William J. Bingham, baritone, leader of the Harvard College Glee club.

Third Universalist Men's Club of North Weymouth Hold Banquet.

On Monday evening the Men's Club of the Third Universalist church of North Weymouth held a social and discussed a banquet provided by the ladies of the church. After the supper the members listened to an address by Henry A. Day, "Preparedness and the Monroe Doctrine" was the subject of his talk and it proved to be of much interest. The supper was served by the following ladies: Mrs. Edwin R. Sampson, Mrs. Richard Hesse, Miss S. Lizzie Fisher, Mrs. Joshua P. Holbrook and Miss Lillian Ruggles. The club is planning a ladies' night, to be held sometime in May.

Last of Series of Tufts Lectures.

The last of the series of the free Tufts Lectures was held in the Pilgrim church, Wednesday evening. Dr. Earl Barnes of Philadelphia spoke on "Promising Educational Experiments."

SOUTH WEYMOUTH VETERAN DEAD.

Henry F. Pratt Answers Last Roll Call at Age of 79.

Henry F. Pratt died at his home on Union street, South Weymouth, Sunday, aged 79 years. He was the last of 12 children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pratt and had always lived in the house on Union street. He was a Civil War veteran, having been a member of Co. G. 4th Heavy Artillery.

He is survived by his wife, and had celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage on January 25th.

Funeral services were held from his late home on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Fred A. Line conducting the services. Burial was in Elmwood cemetery.

TOWN BUSINESS.

Selectmen's Business and Other Departments of Work and Expenditures.

The Town Treasurer has filed his bond for \$25,000 with the Selectmen.

The appropriation committee approve the withdrawal of \$2,000 from the reserve fund to meet the deficiency in the snow account.

The Selectmen have negotiated a three year insurance on all buildings at the Town Home and all their contents at a cost of \$467.52.

Four applications have been filed for the position of superintendent of streets, three of which are by town residents and one by a non-resident.

Through his attorney, H. B. Ruggles files a claim for damage sustained by his daughter Hazel E., on account of two nails sticking up in the floor at the Bates school-house.

Robert H. Healy, Arthur H. Alden and F. Everett Clapp were drawn as jurors for the Superior Court.

Edward E. Ludden, John G. Nelson and Charles H. Phillips were appointed as special police and Elias B. Keene fence viewer, on Monday.

Combination No. 2 asks for the re-appointment of John Q. Hunt as engineer in the Fire Department.

Communication received from New England Co-operative Clean-up and Paint-up Association asking the town to make the two first weeks in May a clean-up time and join in the competition for the sterling silver loving cup.

Voted to ask the boiler inspector of the District Police to inspect the boilers of the steam roller and portable engine.

Citizens of Union street petition in behalf of the school children of that section to have a rehearing on the action taken at the town meeting in relation to the, so called, Tirrell lot.

Through its agent, Paul B. Briggs, the Merchants' Protective Association for horses, ask the co-operation of the town in making roads on which horses drawing loads can get a foothold.

Police Notes.

B. Finley reported to headquarters that an incubator had been stolen from his place. The theft is being investigated.

Sunday afternoon Officer Schofield took a man to headquarters, whom he found lying on the sidewalk in Commercial square unable to take care of himself. Monday in court at Quincy the prisoner pleaded not guilty, to being intoxicated but the judge thought otherwise and fined the man \$15.

Circulars describing three men, who overpowered two sheriffs in a prison van at Cranston, R. I., shooting them both fatally, were received at headquarters this week, from the Chief of Police of Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Fuller of South Weymouth Observe Fiftieth Anniversary of Their Wedding.

Fifty years ago Alfred G. Fuller and Elizabeth E. Pittee were married at the bride's home in Leominster by Rev. Louis Coolidge. Last Friday night, with their children, grandchildren, friends and relatives, from Boston, Worcester, Chelsea and this town, they celebrated the event at their home, 214 Pond street, South Weymouth.

There was a reception from 8 until 11 o'clock. The four children of Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Elizabeth McDevitt, Mrs. Ida Thompson, Mrs. Edeline Walker and Harry Fuller, assisted in receiving. Fourteen of the nineteen grandchildren of the couple were present. There is a great-grandson also, but he was not present. An orchestra composed of grandchildren provided music during the evening.

Mr. Fuller was born in Broom, Can., November 10, 1847. At the age of 16 he went to Marlboro and learned the carpenter's trade and has since been employed in Boston. Mr. Fuller is a Mason and an Odd Fellow.

Mrs. Fuller was born in Leominster, August 1, 1846, one of five children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Capen) Pittee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller have resided in this town for the last five years.

Notice.

Now is the time to think about your fruit trees, grape vines, etc. Are they in the best condition to bring good results? If a tree or vine is worth having, it is worth keeping in good condition. Good judgement and knowledge of pruning is essential. Let me look over your trees and give estimates. Prices reasonable, and all work guaranteed to be first class. Contracts for planting and care of gardens, lawns and shrubs solicited.—E. C. Metcalf, Orchardist and Landscape Gardener. 289 Front street, Weymouth, Tel. 744-M.—Adv.

OBSERVE 20TH ANNIVERSARY.

Ladies' Auxiliary to Gen. James L. Bates Camp, S. of V., Celebrate in Grand Army Hall.

With Division Commander Guy Richardson of Dorchester, Division Vice President Miss Lottie L. Ford of Marshfield, delegations from Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R., Reynolds W. R. C., Gen. James L. Bates Camp, S. of V., and Dorothea L. Dix tent, D. of V., present as special guest, the Ladies Auxiliary to Gen. James L. Bates Camp, S. of V. celebrated the 20th anniversary of the organization in G. A. R. hall, East Weymouth on Monday evening.

A supper was served to a large number of the members and guests, following which the evening's program was given. Mrs. Alice B. Lunt, president of the Auxiliary, presided at the evening session and the following program was given:—readings by Miss Ella H. Wheeler of Dorchester, violin solos by Miss Winifred Bowe of Hyde Park, piano duets by Mrs. Russell E. Bailey and Miss Olga Bailey of North Weymouth, vocal solos by Miss Bertha Hanson of South Weymouth and solo dancing by Miss Hazel Munnell of East Weymouth. The accompanist was Miss Ethel Bowe of Hyde Park. There were addresses by a number of officers at the conclusion of which dancing was enjoyed.

An orchestra led by Lyman Pratt furnished the music and Harry W. Vogel was floor director, assisted by a corps of aids.

INSTANTLY KILLED.

John A. Kelley Formerly a Resident of East Weymouth.

John A. Kelley, formerly of 21 Linden place, East Weymouth, was instantly killed on Monday, while attending to his duties at the American Agricultural Co.'s plant at Baltimore, Md. Mr. Kelley had charge of the electrical system at the works and it is said he fell from a platform, striking on his head. While living in East Weymouth, Mr. Kelley worked in a shoe factory at South Braintree and also worked as an extra motorman for the local street railway. The funeral was held yesterday from the home of his uncle, Dennis Cohen, 480 Broad street, East Weymouth, at 8 15 a. m. Requiem high mass at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Francis Xavier cemetery. The bearers were: Walter Howley, John Sullivan, James Murphy, L. M. Beach, Harry Vogel and J. T. Peers.

Birthday Greetings.

(Dedicated to Mrs. George Andrews on her eighty-ninth birthday by an old acquaintance.)

When first our scanty days are told
It seems like pastime to grow old
Long may you hail your natal day
As fairies would the flowers in May
Bedecked each morn with drops of dew;
So may these days be decked for you.
And as your tide of years roll on
May you hoard these treasures one by one
And call the gems from friendship's store
Till time for you shall be no more.

Your ripened life of strenuous years
Through scenes of trouble, joy and tears
Reminds us of the ever varying change
That's come within your mental range.
In your young days the candle's rays
On which your wondering eyes did gaze
Has now been doomed to say good night
And give place to the modern electric light.

From dead wagons and saddle horses
We travel now by electric forces.
From sailing ships to submarines
From verbal speech to talking machines.

In those by gone days the gospel sound
Made saint and sinner tumble round,
Fearing the fate that might befall them
If failing to answer the voice that called them.

But all this nightmare we have outgrown
Science has now assumed the throne
And to mental freedom points the way
To a more righteous and a saner day.
Teaching messages of peace and love
Instead of retribution from above.

All this you have seen and I wish you joy
Now happy in your life's alloy.
May peace and plenty still bedew you
With loving friends always beside you
And when you reach the other shore
May peace be yours forever more.

With much respect from 79 to 89, D. M. Easton.

Almost the Limit.

"Is your cook impertinent?" "Well, rather. She couldn't be any worse if she was one of my own daughters."—Life.

Table Ornament.

Sew a coarse flannel over the bowl of a broken goblet. Wet the flannel and sprinkle as much flaxseed or canary seed as will stick. Set this in a glass dish of water in a warm room. As the water soaks into the flannel add more. In two weeks you will have a beautiful center ornament for the table.

DIES SUDDENLY.

Well-known Weymouth Man Stricken While At Work At George H. Bicknell Co. Factory.

George Pray, one of the best known citizens of the town died suddenly of heart disease Monday morning at the counter factory of George H. Bicknell Co. He had been troubled with heart disease for sometime. He was born in this town 56 years ago and was a son of the late Samuel Pray who died a few weeks ago. He been employed at the Bicknell factory for 35 years and for some years past had been foreman of the counter department. He was a member of Delphi lodge 15 Knights of Pythias. He is survived by his widow. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon. Rev. C. J. Underhill conducted the service. A large delegation from Delphi lodge attended and the ritual of the order was performed. Interment was at Village cemetery.

WILLIAM CALLAHAN DEAD.

Native of Ireland Passes Away At Advanced Age of 91 years.

William Callahan one of the town's oldest residents died at his home 416 Washington street Monday afternoon. He had been in poor health for some time. He was born in Ireland 91 years ago but had resided in this town for many years. He leaves a son William F. Callahan, two daughters, Misses M. Agnes and Ida M. Callahan and a sister Mrs. Gardner of Rockland. The funeral took place Wednesday morning from the church of the Sacred Heart. Rev. J. B. Holland celebrated mass. Interment was at St. Francis Xavier cemetery.

SURVIVES WIFE TWO MONTHS.

Walter R. Norton Dead at Age of 67.

Surviving his wife only two months, Walter R. Norton, 67, died suddenly Sunday morning at his home, 336 Moraine street, Brockton. Soon after midnight he called for assistance, but before anyone could reach his bedside he had expired.

Two months ago to a day his wife dropped dead in Whitman, where she had gone to visit the family of Mr. Norton's sister, who had died suddenly that day.

Deceased was born in this town, the son of the late Royal and Tirrell Norton. He lived here until moving to Brockton some years ago.

He leaves a son, Charles W. Norton and a brother, William Norton.

WITH THE FRATERNAL ORDERS.

News of The Lodges About Town.

L. O. O. M.

At the regular meeting of the L. O. O. M. held at Moose hall on Tuesday evening, a short business meeting was held after which the members to a large number were treated to a miscellaneous entertainment of boxing, wrestling, and musical numbers by the Moose orchestra. Prof. Huns of Boston, monologue artist, entertained and there were banjo solos by Fred Cushman accompanied by his brother on the piano. The wrestling was made possible by the courtesy of the Clapp Memorial, who furnished the mat and other paraphernalia.

L. M. C.

The W. L. C. held their regular weekly whist party in Moose Hall on Monday night.

K. of P.

With a large number of members and guests present, Delphi Lodge, K. of P., observed the 52nd anniversary of the establishing of the order in America and the 47th anniversary of the foundation of Delphi Lodge, in Pythian Hall, Weymouth, on Wednesday evening. There was a reception, banquet, entertainment and dancing. The program consisted of orchestral selections, vocal solos, and reading by Miss Bertha Hanson, violin solos by Leon Shaw. At the close of the entertainment, dancing was indulged in until midnight. The committee who had the affair in charge was: Winfield S. Orr, George W. Leavitt, Hecsa Hyland, E. A. Hunt, Arthur C. Bicknell, Russell Dexheimer and William Gifford.

Sunday School Conference.

The first of a series of Sunday school conferences, under the auspices of the Norfolk East District Sunday School Association, will be held in the Old South church vestry, South Weymouth, Thursday evening, April 6 at 7 45, with addresses on Sunday school work by experienced leaders.

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Program for Week--April 17 to April 22

MONDAY

1.00 P.M. Grand Opening of Exhibition.
2.15 " Lecture, "Breakfast Suggestions."
3.30 " Special Sales by Merchants.
5.00 " Drawing of First Day's Prizes.
6.00 " Lighting of White Way.
7.00 " Band Concert.
8.00 " Concert in Hall, by "Vocalion."
9.30 " Drawing of Evening Prizes. Special Sales.

TUESDAY

1.00 P.M. Hall open.
2.15 " Lecture, "Fancy Breads and Pastries."
3.00 " Concert by "Aolian Vocalion."
5.00 " Drawing of Prizes.
6.00 " Lighting of White Way.
7.00 " Stereopticon Pictures.
8.00 " Special Sales by Merchants.
9.30 " Drawing of Prizes.

THURSDAY

1.00 P.M. Exhibit Hall Open.
2.15 " Lecture, "New and Old Desserts."
3.00 " Special Sales by Merchants.
4.30 " Drawing of Prizes.
5.30 to 7.00 P.M. Cabaret, Lincoln Hall.
7.00 P.M. Band Concert.
8.00 " Vocalion Concert in Hall.
9.00 " Stereopticon Pictures.
9.30 " Drawing of Prizes.

FRIDAY

1.00 P.M. Exhibition Starts.
2.15 " Lecture, "Odds and Ends."
3.00 " Friday Sales by Merchants.
4.30 " Drawing of Prizes.
6.00 " Lighting of White Way.
7.00 " Aolian Vocalion Concert
7.30 " Stereopticon Pictures.
9.30 " Drawing of Evening Prizes.
DON'T FAIL TO VISIT ALL OF THE STORES

WEDNESDAY

"Patriots' Day." Hall opened from 1.00 P.M. to 10.00 P.M. Music, Prizes, Stereopticon Pictures and Demonstrations

SATURDAY

This is the Big Day. 2.15 P.M., Lecture "What to Have for Dinner." Drawing of the Grand Prizes for the Week, Band Concert, Cabaret in Lincoln Hall, Stereopticon Pictures, Concert in Hall, Big Sales and Gay Life.

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ON THE FARM

Subscribe for this paper. This column alone is worth more than \$2.00 a year if you have a garden or keep a horse, cow, pigs or hens.

If the grape vines were not cut back during the fall and winter, don't wait until the sap starts. Do it now.

Rubbing dry after heavy exercise or hard work, which causes the animal to perspire freely, is a luxury that few farm horses ever enjoy.

Upon placing a male with hens which have not had a male with them, the eggs become fertile in about three days and remain fertile for fifteen to twenty days after the male has been removed.

The cheapest way of getting started in the business of breeding fine poultry is to buy eggs and hatch them. Ten or a dozen chicks are often produced from a sitting of eggs, which may be purchased for less than the cost of a single first-class fowl.

Persons are healthier, happier and more efficient and better in every way if they are clean. So it is with domestic animals. They are better and become more profitable if they are kept clean and have clean houses to live in and clean feeds to eat.

In doing small carpenter and repair jobs about the farm a lot of time is lost in hunting up mislaid tools, collecting materials and the like. It is quite easy to make a portable repair shop in which all kinds of tools, nails, bolts, nuts, washers, wire and innumerable other things are kept.

Where there are very small children in the family, a separate small plot should be set aside for their play gardens. If they have their own vegetables which they are free to pull up, examine, or treat as they like, they are less liable to conduct their juvenile botanical experiments in the garden which is being grown for serious purposes.

The profit from gardening, however, comes not alone from the vegetables that are produced. The healthy outdoor recreation and exercise and the educational value of a garden in training children manually, and in inculcating in them habits of order and industry must not be overlooked.

The great hotbeds of weeds in a community is the roadside. The number of weeds grown along the roads, and which

are permitted to scatter their seeds far and wide, is enormous. The duty of destroying these weeds seems to be that of the farmer, but he will not work on the out side of his fence as long as he is busy on the other side. Money spent by the town in destroying weeds and caterpillar tents is money well spent.

Climbing roses should not be pruned at this time except for the removal of surplus or interfering branches. Every bit of wood removed now reduces the amount of bloom the plant will bear during the coming season. Roses used in border planting should be treated in exactly that same way as other shrubs, except that many of these species will be improved by having all their old wood cut away once in every five or six years.

A little care given to the pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs during the early part of April will do much to control their growing and flowering habits and enable the home owner to have well-formed plants and well-trained hedges or boundary plantings. The pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs is, in fact, one of the first duties that may profitably be performed in the home garden. The amateur, however, should not make a ruthless assault with shears or pruning knife upon everything in his yard.

"Plan your back-yard garden on paper in advance" is the advice of the vegetable garden specialists of the department. A little indoor gardening of this sort will enable you to have fresh vegetables throughout the season and will make the same ground, with little extra labor and expense, yield two or three crops instead of the single crop commonly raised in small gardens. Where two or three crops are grown instead of one, a comparatively small garden will supply the average family with fresh vegetables all season.

Don't run the farm on the one crop system.

First. Because the system depends upon market and crop conditions of the one crop alone. Failure of crop or failure of market alike bring serious disaster.

Second. Because it does not provide for the maintenance of soil fertility.

Third. Because it fails to provide for a sufficient live-stock industry to consume the waste products of the farm and make its waste lands productive.

Saw Business Opportunity.
"This suite will cost you \$300 per." "Do you find people willing to pay such prices?" "Plenty of them." "In that case, what will you take for the hotel?"—Judge.

How Plants Remain Upright.

If a flowerpot is laid on its side the stalk of the plant growing in it gradually curves upward until it resumes the vertical position. This is called geotropic curvature, and the question is by what means the plant is stimulated to change its direction of growth. One theory avers that movable starch grains in the plant cells fall to the lower side as the position is changed and by their pressure influence the mechanism of growth.

The Ink That Homer Used.

Ink of various hues was used by the ancient Romans, that of a purple that being considered the exclusive fluid for the execution of all royal writings, as it was distinctively the royal color. It is said that Homer's works were written in letters of gold on a roll 120 feet in length, formed of the intestines of serpents, but we are left in ignorance as to the method of preparing this ink.

Badly Balanced.

A witty Frenchman wrote at the commencement of this century a very interesting and amusing book bearing the title, "Les Agrements et les Chagrins des Mariages." In this work the first four pages are devoted to the "agrements" (joys) and the remaining 350 to the "chagrins" (sorrows).

The Real Trouble.

He—Miss Hilbrow is completely disgusted with the modern young man. She says he is incapable of thought. She—What the poor girl really means is that the modern young man is incapable of thoughts of her.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

No Novelty.

"When I took Mrs. Gaddy out for an automobile ride she was nervous all the time for fear we should strike somebody."

"That was all put on. She's used to running people down." — Baltimore American.

The Difference.

"I'd like to get a mile away from a spoiled child."
"I'd like to get a rod near him." — Baltimore American.

Those Noisy Musicians.

During the concert a man who really appreciated music for its own sake was greatly annoyed by a young fop in front of him who kept talking to the girl at his side. "What a nuisance!" finally exclaimed the appreciative man. "Do you refer to me, sir?" threateningly demanded the fop. "Oh, no. I meant the musicians. They keep up such a noise with their instruments that I can't hear half your brilliant conversation."

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Travel Sketch.

My dear Brother:

In my last letter I endeavored to convey some idea of the Colorado Canyon. It seems little short of presumption for me or any one to undertake such a task after a one day visit, but I did the best I could with the opportunity I had to view it.

You or some one contemplating the trip to California, may ask,—"Is it worth while to spend one's time and money to see the Grand Canyon?" To such an inquiry I would reply, "It depends on you." If you are like a man I saw at Niagara, I would say, "Don't do it." This man approached the platform at the American Falls where many people were for the first time taking in the wonders of the falls, and some of them going into ecstasies over them, and after casually looking over them for a minute as he might have looked over a brush pasture, remarked, "Well, I don't see anything so very wonderful, it's only some water running down there."

To any one to whom the sublime in nature appeals I would say, if you can ever make it possible to visit the canyon, by all means, do so.

I resumed my route on the main line at Williams about noon, August fourth, and was soon again passing over the sage brush plains, relieved here and there by a distant mountain or by passing over a dry arroyo. Along in the afternoon a mountain range appeared in the distance on either side of the track. After a while it was noticeable that the two ranges were converging toward a point in front of us. About an hour after the mountains became noticeable it was evident we were fast approaching the angle where the two ranges came together and it looked as though our way was to be blocked; but soon an opening appeared through which we passed in safety and again the great plain spread out before us with other mountains in the distance.

So through plains and around mountains we sped through the afternoon, with here and there a mining hamlet or a watering station. The first hundred miles was over the comparatively level plateau and then began a gradual down grade which continued until we crossed the Colorado about sunset and were in California. We had descended about four thousand feet, though most of the way the descent had been so gradual as to be hardly noticeable. The river had untangled itself from the intricacies of the canyon some fifty miles back and here flowed a broad, muddy and apparently shallow stream. From the Gulf of California to this point it is navigable by river boats.

About fifty miles back from the river the character of the vegetation began to change. A low growth of the tree yucca began to appear, at first not more than two feet high, but dwarfed and stunted and looking as though it might be a century old. It looks like our scrub cedar. It is called the tree yucca to distinguish it from another desert plant known as the yucca, or better known to us as the Spanish bayonet. This tree gradually increases in size as we approach the river valley, attaining there a height of twelve or fourteen feet, but still bearing its characteristic marks of extreme age.

We cross the river on the great cantilever bridge whose main span is six hundred and sixty feet and the cantilever arms each one hundred and sixty-five feet and are soon in the town of Needles—if it may be designated as a town. The name is derived from the picturesque obelisks which remain standing where the river has through the ages worn the rock from around them and they remain as mute witnesses of its restless energy and of the almost limitless elapse of time represented by the changes they have seen.

Here, upon the arrival of the train, a number of women of the Mojave tribe were on hand to sell their trinkets to the tourists. Some of them looked as though they were a hundred years of age. The remnants of this once powerful and warlike tribe appear to be now beggarly hangers-on to civilization.

The Santa Fe has here erected one of its commodious station hotels where good meals are served to travelers at reasonable rates. During the afternoon and evening of this day the weather was the hottest of any which I encountered on my whole trip. It became cooler about nine o'clock and the night journey across the Mojave desert was made in comfort and safety. I could hardly believe when morning dawned that we had passed over in comfort about two hundred miles of the most dreaded section of territory which the early pioneers had to encounter in their overland journey and where many of them left their bones. I was told by a man who was well acquainted with the country that it only awaits the introduction of water to make it as productive as that which has already been redeemed from the dust by this agency.

During the night we had passed the railroad junction of Ludlow, a point of interest as being the place where the branch road commences which runs to the Death Valley in Nevada, from whence the "twenty mule borax teams" used to freight that product, which is now handled by the railroad. About eight o'clock in the morning we passed a point where they were just finishing cleaning up what was left of a train which had been burned the previous evening. An oil car on a siding at a higher level than the main track had got loose and rushed down, striking the engine of the passenger train and wrecking it. The whole train was soon in flames and nothing but the iron was left when we arrived at the point.

Three lives were lost and a considerable number were more or less seriously injured. The Los Angeles papers did not make so much of the event as our papers are accustomed to do in like circumstances. No big head lines and a few inches only of space devoted to it.

To show that the perils of the desert are not altogether a thing of the past; the papers had an account of two young men who went out upon it in an auto and running out of water were unable to get back. One of them perished and the other when found, was so near the point of death that his life was barely saved.

We now began to see occasional orange plantations but not until we arrived in the vicinity of San Bernardino did we encounter them on any large scale. Here, the desert indeed began to blossom like the rose and orange groves were seen in all directions. Also ornamental trees; blue gum, acacia and the pepper tree seemed to thrive spontaneously and are among the ornamental trees seen everywhere in California, at least as far north as my journey took me.

One does not have to be long in California however, to learn that orange growing is something of exact science, not to be embarked in by one who has no knowledge of the business unless he has money he is ready to sink in learning it. The preparing of the ground requires a heavy outlay, the water costs five dollars a month per acre, annual fertilizing is necessary, then the trees must be fumigated every year and sprayed as occasion requires. In fact, it seems in the growing of oranges, that eternal vigilance is the price of the paying crop.

Our route did not take us by way of Redlands or Riverside, both of which I would like to have seen, but direct to Los Angeles, where we arrived in due time and bade farewell to the Pullman trains in which I had crossed the continent and took the train of day coaches for San Diego hotel, a million dollar, reinforced concrete edifice, fire proof and recently built in the down town district by John D. Spreckles.

I now began to realize that I was a long long way from Weymouth. There had been pleasant acquaintances made all of way upon the trains, but these had all been left.

It is rather a queer sensation to feel that you are for the first time three thousand miles from home and friends and not a person in the city whom you know. It was, however, not quite as bad as that with me. There was one friend whose acquaintances I had made on the train and from whom I had parted at Williams, whose home was here. About seven o'clock in the evening this friend called with his wife at the hotel and took me in his auto for a ride about the city. Notwithstanding it was in the evening I enjoyed the trip much.

We ran out to a plateau beyond the exposition grounds—all elevated plains are plateaus in California—where we could look down upon the brilliantly illuminated grounds with the thousands of electric lights forming a beautiful display after which we parked our machine and spent a very enjoyable hour with the crowd inside the grounds.

This friend has since written me that the San Diego exposition is to continue through the present year and will have most of the foreign exhibits which were in the San Francisco fair.

I have a very pleasant recollection of Mr. and Mrs. Birdsall. May the blessing be theirs of whom it is written, "I was a stranger and ye took me in."

No one contemplating a trip to California during the year can afford to leave San Diego out of their itinerary.

I thought to have written something in relation to the fair, but shall have to leave that for another letter.

Your brother,
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Real Neighborly.

Willie—"Ma, may I have Tommy Wilson over to our house to play Saturday?" Mother—"No, you make altogether too much noise. You'd better go over to his house and play."—Boston Transcript.

Heed the Voice Within.

Why should we ever go abroad, even across the way, to ask a neighbor's advice? There is a nearer neighbor within us, incessantly telling us how we should behave. But we wait for the neighbor without to tell us of some false, easier way.—Thoreau.

Retort Courteous.

"What?" exclaimed the spinster who was beginning to carry weight for age, "Do you mean to tell me your baby is ten months old and can't walk yet? Why, I could go it alone at the age of six months!"
"Yes," rejoined the young mother, indignantly, "and I notice you have been going it alone ever since."—Indianapolis Star.

Mind Reading.

"Do you think there is any such thing as mind reading?" asked the eminent diplomat.

"Oh, yes!" replied Miss Cayenne. "If I pay very close attention to what you say and analyze it carefully I often fancy I get a glimmer of what you are thinking about."—Washington Star.

A Good Judge.

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late of Weymouth in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to

be the last will and testament of said deceased

has been presented to said Court for Probate by

George L. Barnes of said Weymouth who prays that

letters testamentary may be issued to him, the ex-

ecutor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate

Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of

Norfolk, on the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1916,

at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show

cause, if any you have, why the same should not be

granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give

public notice thereof by publishing this citation

once in each week for three successive weeks in

the Weymouth Gazette a newspaper published in

said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day

at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid,

or delivering, a copy of this citation to all known

persons interested in the estate seven days at least

before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said

Court, this twenty-first day of March in the year one

thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

J. K. McCOLE, Register.

Another's Lot.

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Weymouth Gazette

FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1916

The redistricting committee has advanced another stage in its work and reports the Senatorial districts and we find Weymouth back, in part, with its associates of thirty years ago and more. We are now scheduled as the Norfolk-Plymouth district which includes Quincy, Weymouth, Hingham, Hull, Hanover and Marshfield. Representative districts are next in order and the question is will we go alone for another ten years or will we have an associate town, or towns, with two or more representatives.

We are asked if there is anything in our ancient history which compares with the present weather conditions and find in the Gazette issue of February 19th 1886 what was published "The event of a Century". There had been an unusual heavy fall of snow which was followed by a warm spell with heavy rain. The Monaquot river overflowed its banks and all the low land along its course, bridges were washed and travel partially suspended for several days. East Weymouth was however the greatest sufferer. Whitman pond ran wild and flooded a large part of the territory from the hill at the cemetery on Pleasant street to tide water and the only means of getting from the east to the west side of the village was to take Grant street to Reeds crossing and then take the railroad track and land on the other side. On Friday night water was up to the window sills of some of the houses along Pleasant street; people took to the chambers and were taken out in boats. Washington square was under water and goods were removed from some stores in row boats. A week ago people were in fear of heavy rains and a repetition of 1886 but the warm sun and mild weather reduced the snow to such an extent that the flood danger is less feared and we may look for a material benefit from the snow which has protected fields and orchards from the intense cold which prevailed.

LOVELL'S CORNER

—Mrs. Mary Hawes and Miss Maria Hawes of Quincy spent Sunday with relatives.

—There will be no services at the Porter church Sunday, April 2.

—Miss Eleanor Blanchard has been kept at home this week by an attack of the grippe.

—A pie social was held at Pratt's hall Tuesday evening under the direction of a committee of ladies from the Improvement Association.

—Miss Norma Drinkwater has been spending her vacation with relatives in Hingham.

—Miss Nellie Holbrook is attending the New England Southern Conference, being held at Connecticut.

—Julian Rea of Amherst Agricultural college is spending his spring vacation with his parents.

—Rev. Karl Thompson, for the past two years minister of the Porter Methodist church, completed his duties last Sunday. His farewell address in the evening was founded on the theme "Love." He left Boston on the midnight train for his home in Ft. Wayne, Ind., his family having preceded him. During his stay in the East he has finished a special course of study in Boston University.

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Real Lover of Nature.
William is a child who is fond of nature, and I took him to the woods for the day. He had been lying on his back for some time, saying nothing, when I broke the silence. "Don't talk," he cried, "it sounds so wonderful when you don't say anything!"—Exchange.

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NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—The first days of spring have brought several people to the beaches to look over their cottages. Arthur L. Barr, J. B. Halliday, Capen Brown and several others were at Fort Point last Sunday.

—Henry Gooding and family of Morrell street are moving to West Somerville this week.

—The Vehemaldivo club met with Miss Helen Burgess of Pearl street last Monday evening.

—Mrs. Harry O. Tutty returned home Sunday from the Charlesgate hospital, where she recently underwent an operation.

—Miss Alice Ford of Bridge street spent Sunday with Mrs. Edward Butnam of Cohasset.

—Rev. Arthur Mercer and family moved from town last Friday. Mr. Mercer goes to Seekonk, Mass., to take up his duties as pastor of the church there.

—Miss Alida Beane of Fall River was the week end guest of Mrs. Edwin R. Sampson of Lincoln street.

—Mrs. Earle Williams of Standish Road entertained her brother the last of the week.

—Joshua P. Holbrook and family of Pratt avenue are going to move from their present home to a house on Saunders street.

—The Wessagusset club will hold an entertainment and dance at Masonic hall, East Weymouth, next Wednesday evening, April 5th.

—Dr. and Mrs. Willis P. Middleton, (nee Ruth Merrill) formerly of this place but now of Republic of Columbia, South America, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

—Miss Mabel Robbins of Wallingford, Conn., has been visiting relatives in town the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Saville were in town last Sunday calling on relatives and friends.

—Mrs. Arthur W. Bartlett of Lovell street is on the sick list.

—Miss Esther Walker of Pearl street is spending her vacation with relatives in Lowell.

—Miss Mary Hesse and Master Thomas Hesse of Lincoln street have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Edward Butnam of Cohasset, the past week.

—Mrs. E. Frank Beals of Sea street returned home last Friday after spending several weeks in the South.

—Mrs. Nathaniel Ford of Bridge street has been entertaining Miss Ruth Bowman of Arlington during the past week.

—John Taylor of Shaw street is convalescent from his recent illness.

—Miss Mabelle Bartlett of Wakenfield has been spending the past week with her father, A. W. Bartlett of Lovell street.

—Mrs. G. R. White and Mrs. Fauny Huke of North street spent Sunday with their cousin, Miss Alice Pierce of Waltham.

—Miss Marion Austin of Standish road was tendered a surprise party last Saturday evening by a party of friends. Games and refreshments were enjoyed during the evening and Miss Austin was presented with a wrist watch.

—The Sparklers' club met with Mrs. Ruth Howe of North street last Saturday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Ford; secretary-treasurer, Miss Lillian Trussell.

—The North Weymouth Cemetery circle will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon, April 4, at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. E. Frank Beals, Sea street. A full attendance is desired as business of importance is to be transacted.

—"Miss Buzby's Boarders," the three-act comedy which was presented at the Pilgrim church last Friday evening drew a large audience. There were musical specialties by different members of the cast. Ice cream was for sale after the entertainment.

—Miss Ruth Powers of Arlington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lewis D. Loring of Bridge street.

—The parish committee of the Pilgrim church met last Monday evening and organized with George W. Beane as chairman and M. J. Parker as secretary.

—The ladies' sewing circle connected with the Pilgrim church met in the church parlors last Wednesday afternoon and evening. Supper was served at 6 o'clock.

—Next Sunday evening a special song service will be held in the Pilgrim church at 7 o'clock. The Sunday school choir, composed of about 15 or 18 girls, will sing.

—Local people will be pleased to hear that Rev. Melvin S. Nash will occupy the pulpit at the Universalist church next Sunday afternoon.

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—Edward Bates has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dow of New York city.

—Andrew Christenson and family leave the Heights tomorrow to take up their residence in Brookline.

—Fred Lunt is visiting relatives in Duxbury.

—Mrs. Julia Smith of Dorchester was a guest of her sister Mrs. Wallace Bicknell on Wednesday.

—Miss Grace Stevenson celebrated her twelfth birthday on Sunday by giving a party to a few of her friends at her home on Church street.

—The Sunday evening meeting of the Y. P. C. E. Society of the Old North church will be a consecration meeting, topic "The Consecration of Time."

—The home department of the Old North Sunday School will hold a social in the chapel this evening. Each teacher and officer of the Sunday school is cordially invited to attend. The evening's program is in charge of Mrs. Albert Newcomb, superintendent of the home department, assisted by Miss Abbie Bates.

—Mrs. Robert I. Steele gave a dinner party on Wednesday, at which Mrs. Mary Stoddard was the guest of honor, it being her seventy-eighth birthday. The guests present were the Flower committee connected with the Old North church, which consists of Mrs. J. C. Nash, Mrs. Albert Newcomb and Miss Louise Briggs. A most enjoyable time was had by all and Mrs. Stoddard received many congratulations, gifts and postcards.

All About It.

"Tell me about Spain, romantic Spain." "Well," said the motorist, "there are a few bad places as you come down the mountains, but in the main the roads are pretty good."

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One Too Many Cooks

Despite Difficulties the Diet
Nurse Won the Prize

By HELEN URNER
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He had just arrived with his morose eyes and bored to death weariness.

Miss Carney was at the desk looking on his chart to see if he was married when Miss Krider, the head nurse, came to her.

"Miss Carney, you're to go to the kitchen for your six weeks' course in dietetics. It's too bad. We're short of nurses on the floor, and I was going to give you 245."

Six weeks! Six scorching, shriveling, vegetable scented weeks, while right there in 245—And she had been appointed to nurse him!

She glanced furtively at the record and saw that he was not married. This aggravated the disaster, and she descended to her room.

Of course it wasn't the fault of the probationer nor the two little Irish maids that she had been thrust in their midst, but she had a grudge that had to come out—when the head dietitian wasn't around.

With a pan of apples in her lap, which she viciously lacerated, she sat on a three legged stool.

The bell to the electric waiter buzzed and repeated insistently.

"Shall I answer it?" The probationer's voice trembled with respect.

"Yes," she snapped.

"Special order for 245."

"I guess I'd better take the orders," Miss Carney interposed, stalling herself at the slide.

"What is it?" she called.

"Wine jelly for dinner. Is that you, Carn?" The voice lowered cautiously.

"Yes."

"Say, 245's some patient! The nurses are all crazy about him. Tough luck you're out."

"Who's his special?"

"Miss Dunott."

Emily Carney leaned against the door for support. Marian Dunott! The siren of the hospital! And then defiantly through her veins began to wriggle her martial corpuscles.

"Don't forget that wine jelly," came the reminder. "And fix it up swell."

Miss Carney closed the door excitedly. "Can you make wine jelly?" she asked the probationer.

"I used to."

She grabbed her by the arm. And then she made an abandoned revelation.

"I don't know a blooming thing about cooking," she confessed shamefully.

"The only thing I can do is roast a potato."

The maid choked with hilarity.

"There's a cookbook," she chuckled. "In that top drawer."

Miss Carney opened the drawer and sheepishly got out the book.

For one hour she hung over that jelly, testing and tasting and trembling. When it blossomed out of its tulip shaped mold it was a lovely



MISS DUNOTT WAS BEING ENTHRALLED BY A BEST SELLER.

golden flower. On the petals she banked billows of whipped cream, and deep down in the heart of the yellow foam glistened a crimson cherry.

That afternoon she strolled into Marian Dunott's room and sat down uninvited. Miss Dunott was being enthralled by a best seller entitled, "How Diana Did It."

"How's the floor coming along in my absence?" Miss Carney inquired casually.

"Quite nicely," unflatteringly. "This is an awfully exciting book." She turned to a page obviously, but her visitor was not sensitive.

"Any new patients?"

"One. It was real odd. I met him in the hall when he first came, and right afterward I saw him talking to Miss Krider. Of course he might not have been asking for any particular nurse, but it looked odd."

"He's rich, you know. Money has influence even with head nurses. Well, I hope he soon gets out, as we've got some dates to go motoring."

Prickly heat chased up and down her adversary's back. She arose abruptly. "I hope you'll have a nice time," she wished sweetly.

"Thank you, dear."

Emily Carney stalked down the hall, forgetful of the sleeping night nurses, and banged on Eva Morsheiler's door.

"What's doing on the floor?"

Miss Morsheiler glowed enthusiastically.

"Well, Carn, it's a shame you left when you did. We've got a regular James K. Hackett and Pierpont Morgan combination up there. He's simply bursting with money and is the grandest looking thing!"

She gazed ecstatically through space. She suddenly sat erect.

"Murdered shades!" she exploded. "I almost forgot. Well, if you aren't the clever little duck! Here are all the rest of us falling over ourselves trying to get on the job and little Carnie down in the kitchen making the only hit."

Emily Carney reddened uncomfortably.

"Nonsense," she grumbled, "what are you talking about?"

"Sure," she enthused. "I was in the room with the doctor when the tray was brought in with your fluffy ruffle stuff, and Hackett said it was the daintiest dish he had ever seen, and the doctor said that that was just what he needed—something to tempt him and fatten him up—and the cook who fixed that must have had splendid experience, and I spoke up and said it was my best friend, who never knew until that morning how to boil water, but that genius would not!"

"Mose, you didn't?"

"Or words to that effect, and the doctor said he was going to write an order for you to concoct surprises every day for Hackett (he didn't say 'Hackett'). By jingo, Carnie, I didn't think of you! I knew you could wriggle off the fine arts, and you've proved you have stuck in you some place the makings of a noble nurse, but to think you should blossom out into a Fannie Merritt Farmer! It ain't fair. You ain't leavin' no talents to no one."

"Shut up!" She aimed a pillow accurately.

"All right; for that I won't tell you what he said when the doctor left."

She meekly reached for the pillow.

"I'll never throw another one as long as I live," she pleaded.

"Well, he asked me real confidentially what my friend the cook—ha!—was like, and I said she had watery eyes and a scar down her left cheek."

"Mose!"

"All's fair in love. And he looked positively staggered. I had no idea he was banking so much on your looks. But he was loyal till death. When he started to recover he said:

"Scar or no scar, that girl's got a soul!"

Miss Carney fled from the room.

The next morning she was in the kitchen early. It was a vigorous time, but the result was a culinary triumph. The peach velvet was a rosy creation, the patties baked to a ravishingly golden tint. Then it was she had the inspiration. On the torn off corner of a paper bag she inscribed the following:

Hoping I may speed your recovery, but not your departure. YOUR COOK."

She tucked this under a top salad leaf and put the dishes on the slide.

At 2 o'clock that afternoon Eva Morsheiler burst into her room.

"Look, Carnie," she screamed, "what Hackett sent you!" and thrust in her face a lovely tinted orchid.

Miss Carney buried her nose in the petals and smelled—fresh ink!

"Much obliged," she mumbled ungraciously. "I'm so sleepy I'm dead."

"Well, of all the nerve! If that's the way you act after my kindness!" and Miss Morsheiler bounced out of the room.

The girl eagerly pulled forth a slip of paper:

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She tingled and thrilled. It had never occurred to her to go to the floor, and yet it would be easy to make up an excuse. She shivered with shyness.

One afternoon, when she felt sure that both Marian and Mose were on their "hours," she ascended to the second floor and quakingly sauntered down the corridor. As she passed the linen room the inquisitive features of Mose were obliterated.

"Where are you going?" she asked suspiciously.

"To get something to dope nose people with."

"If you hadn't been so smart I was going to try to save your feelings for you. You needn't go to 245, because it's too late."

"Too late!" An awful fear gripped her.

"Yes. Come in while I tell you the horrible details." She pulled her in the room and closed the door. "Steady, now! Don't faint!"

"Is he dead?"

"Worse than that. Marian Dunott has landed him. She's sporting his frat pin, and you know what that means, and today she's wearing a perfectly stunning scarab ring that I'd bet my whole allowance he gave her, and besides—she breathlessly hurled forth the condemning evidence—she's been telling it around that she doubts if she'll ever finish her training."

"Maybe she's bluffing!"

"Well, so long. Here's where I go on my time off. Maybe a two hours' nap will obliterate my woes."

Miss Carney hesitated. Should she—should she not? The door to 245 was open. Anyway, it wouldn't hurt to pass by.

He was lounging in a Morris chair,

dressed in a smoking negligee and listlessly reading a paper. Her uniform gave her privileges.

"My, but it must be nice to be born lucky!" she smiled enviously.

He made an involuntary motion to rise, but sank back, groaning.

"Please come in and cheer a fellow up," he entreated. "I'm bored to a burned match."

She entered, apparently hesitating.

"I should think solitude would be desirable. It must be a novelty in a hospital."

"No solitude for mine, if I can help it. There are too many attractive antidotes."

"Who's your nurse?"

"Miss Dunott. She's a peach of a nurse, too, and a coking good cook. I bet she could put it over any old French chef."

Marian Dunott—a cook!

"What does she make?" she asked weakly.

"Any old thing. You should have tested the sweetbread ramekins she



"I DIDN'T SEE YOU," SHE STAMMERED.

fixed today. Jove, they were some class!"

The room swirled chaotically. For one hour by the clock had she sweated over those ramekins.

He smiled in cheerful anticipation.

"She'll be along in a few minutes with a ginger punch she promised me. She's great on ginger punches."

"I thought the diet nurse was supposed to make those things," Miss Carney ventured.

He leaned forward with sudden intensity.

"Do you believe in thought trans-mission?"

"To some extent—yes."

"I don't know if I do or not. I used to swear by it, but it's gone back on me this time sure. It's a funny thing—it sounds idiotic to tell it—but ever since I first saw a little dish of wine jelly that the diet nurse made me I've had the most peculiar feeling for that girl. A man can't describe a sensation like that. I—I never felt that way toward any other woman. It's strange that I'm telling you about it."

He broke off and looked at her oddly.

"Anyway, I thought I was going batty. I couldn't do a thing for days but think and dream of a girl I had never seen. He laughed shortly. "There was only one difficulty. The telepathy didn't work at the other end of the line."

"Didn't she—reciprocate your interest?"

"She did not. I sent her a note in a flower one day, and from that time to this I have not even had a culinary token. Miss Dunott says she must have got tired of bothering. I imagine this is Miss Dunott coming now."

It was. She entered blithely, carrying a tiny tray, on which tinkled and sparkled a ginger punch.

"Hello, dearie!" she cooed, not seeing the other nurse. "Here's a nice drink I just mixed up."

"It tastes as good as it looks," Miss Carney observed. "I ought to know, you know."

Miss Dunott turned abruptly, and the liquid spilled down over her apron. And then the incredible happened, for Marian Dunott, the blase, diplomatic, self composed Marion Dunott, got fussed.

"I didn't see you," she stammered.

"I didn't imagine that you did," Miss Carney laughed genially. "Your patient has just been praising the concoctions of his diet nurse. He didn't seem to know that they were the concoctions of the diet nurse, but in his acute illness it is natural that he should get confused."

Marian Dunott sat down the tray with a thump. Her face flamed, her lips quivered, and her eyes glared.

"Perhaps," she icily suggested, "you can clear up the confusion."

She swept—yes, swept—out of the room.

Before his intent gaze the other girl felt all sorts of things, but she tried to grin sociably.

"How do you know what the diet nurse makes?" he demanded.

She got up, but she didn't sweep; she did a modified swagger to the door. When she reached it she smiled back mockingly.

"Perhaps," she laughed softly, "I'll explain that some time."

She tried to slip out the doorway, and just then he grabbed her—but that has nothing to do with the story.

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PLANETS AND GRAVITY.

The Vast Difference in Conditions Upon Mars and Jupiter.

In an article entitled "Is Mars Alive?" in the Popular Science Monthly Waldemar Kaempffert describes the possible appearance of a Martian. In speaking of the different conditions prevailing on the planets Mr. Kaempffert says:

"The bigger the planet on which you live, the harder it is for you to move about. If you were suddenly transported to Jupiter, the largest of the planets, and if you were able to live on its semi-molten surface, you would find it hard to lift your arm. A steam crane would be welcome assistance in moving your body about. This is due entirely to the enormous gravitational attraction which Jupiter would exert upon you. The bigger the planet the harder are you pulled down to its surface; the harder it is to put your foot forward."

"Mars is only one-ninth as massive as the earth. Hence you would weigh much less on Mars than you do on the earth. A Martian porter could easily carry as much as a terrestrial elephant. A Martian baseball player could bat a ball a mile. A very ordinary Martian athlete could leap with ease over a moderately sized house. Because his planet is not able to pull him down with the attractive force that the earth exerts upon us, the typical Martian has conceivably attained a stature that we would regard as gigantic. Three times as large as a human being, this creature has muscles twenty-seven times as effective. His trunk must be fashioned to inclose lungs capable of breathing the excessively attenuated Martian air in sufficiently large quantities to sustain life. As a canal digger—assuming that he had no machinery—he would be a great success, because he would excavate a canal with the speed and efficiency of a small Panama canal steam shovel."

"Beyond that we cannot go. Intelligence is not necessarily a human attribute. It has so happened on this earth that man has become the dominant race not because of his physical powers, but because of his brains. It may well be that the biological conditions of Mars are such that a creature very unhuman in appearance may have gained the ascendancy in the struggle for existence on a planet that is fast drying up."

Common Horse Sense for Doctors.

It takes more than book learning to be a success as a doctor, it needs a lot of common horse sense, and in all this chatter about higher education and a new curriculum—which is one way of freezing out competition by the medical college trust—I haven't seen mentioned any Professor of Common Sense.—Providence Medical Journal.

AN ENIGMA FOR POSTERITY.

The Secret Dynamite Chamber of the Catskill Aqueduct.

The Catskill aqueduct system is remarkable as an engineering feat. One of the most curious expedients that the engineers contrived was the chamber for storing dynamite. They had to have a large supply of explosive at hand, yet the law sternly prohibited any such accumulation within the city limits of New York, where it might endanger life or property.

Finally in the dip between the One Hundred and Tenth street and the One Hundred and Twenty-second street shafts, 450 feet below the surface, a chamber was blasted out of the solid rock. You entered this chamber from the tunnel by a door that was always left swinging half open and then followed a zigzag passage that turned more than once at right angles. From that passage you stepped into a huge vaulted cavern.

A single electric bulb was suspended over the threshold. A capacious iron bound chest, not unlike a sarcophagus, contained the dynamite. There was nothing else in the silent and gloomy chamber. If the dynamite had at any time exploded the immense volume of released gas would have rushed first against the unyielding walls of rock and then, seeking an outlet, it would have broken with diminishing force against those of the zigzag passage.

So carefully had the engineers calculated the force of the explosion that they believed that what remained of it on reaching the tunnel entrance would automatically close the half open door. No explosion took place to test the theory, and experimental proof would have cost the city \$5,000 worth of dynamite.

The passage from the tunnel has been closed with solid concrete, but the huge cavern is still there, hidden deep in the rock on which the great city is built. Slowly, very slowly, it will fill up with a silent, motionless pool of water, never to reflect the faintest gleam of light. In time, no doubt, the existence of the cavern will be forgotten. A thousand or two years hence it may be rediscovered. Clearly it will be seen to be the work of man, but as to its purpose scientific brains may puzzle themselves fruitlessly, for that will have become a secret held inviolate by the unspeaking rock.—Youth's Companion.

An Example of Turkish.

Everybody who has tackled German knows the strain of waiting for the verb at the end of the sentence which will explain what it is all about. Turkish goes several worse than that, giving the words in almost exactly reverse order to our own. Sir Charles Elliot cites as a typical Turkish sentence, "Capital and Varna between running Lloyd of company of Vulcan steamer on Stamboul to coming are we." Read that backward and its meaning becomes clear. Obviously such a language should avoid long sentences. Popular Turkish does, but Turkish writers indulge in mighty mazes that should be quite congenial to German professors.—London Chronicle.

Good Guess.

A musical director tells a story of the embarrassment evinced by a young woman at a reception given Mme. Schumann-Heink. The young woman was an enthusiastic admirer of the songstress, and she had often expressed to the hostess her intense desire to meet the celebrity. When, however, her turn came to be introduced to the famous woman she was so overcome that she lost her self-possession completely.

Blushing deeply and twisting about the rings on her fingers, she managed to emit, "You—er—er—you sing, I believe."—Everybody's.

Malleable Glass of the Egyptians.

Strabo and Josephus both affirm that the Egyptian glass workers were so well skilled in their art that they imitated the amethyst and other precious stones to perfection. Malleable glass was one of the secret arts of the ancients, the formula for making it being now reckoned as lost. Strabo mentions a cup of glass which could be hammered into any desired shape, the material of which it was composed being as ductile as lead.

Bad Writer With a Good Memory.

Harvey Waters, an expert on patent cases, had occasion to write Rufus Choate on some important question and when he received the reply was unable to read a word of it, so took the missive to Mr. Choate and asked him what he had written. Mr. Choate replied, "I never can read my writing after the ink is dry, but if you tell me what it is about I will tell you what I have written." And he did.

All Clear.

"Now, my lad, I hope you have some clear and well defined idea as to what you want to be in life. That means everything to a young man."
"I know it, uncle. I want to be a doctor or a lawyer, or something like that."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Value of Reticence.

"What makes you think Stillwater is such a clever fellow? I never heard him say anything more than 'yes' or 'no.'"
"That's what convinces me he is clever."—Judge.

Holding on to It.

Bill—Has he the saving habit? Jill—I think so. He showed me a cent he owned dated 1805.—Yonkers Statesman.

Like the bee, we should make our industry our amusement.—Oliver Goldsmith.

Two Kisses

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

During the stay of the American troops in Cuba when the throwing off of Spanish rule was being brought about by Captain Edward Mansfield of the staff was sent out, supported by a reconnoitering party, to sweep around Santiago for information. Coming to a hacienda, the captain, leaving his men at the gateway, rode up to the house. He was admitted by a negro woman, who announced that there was no one at home except Sonorita Sierra, the daughter of the owner. Whereupon Mansfield asked if he might have a few minutes' conversation with the young lady.

The senorita was of a different type from the usual Spanish girl, who is small of stature and delicately made. She was rather above the middle height for a woman and of dignified demeanor. Having entered the room where the captain was waiting for her, she stood without speaking till he should make known his desires.

What Mansfield had called at the house for was information. He asked if the family sided with Spain or Cuba and learned that their hearts were with Cuba. But as to information, the young lady had none to give. Nevertheless the visitor kept her talking. He was a male flirt and had made many a conquest. Daring was a method he often employed with women, and he resolved upon this course in the present case. After engaging the senorita in conversation for some time, during which he showed admiration for her, he rose to take his leave. He offered his hand, and when she gave him hers he drew her toward him, and before she could draw back he had kissed her on the cheek.

That he had made a mistake was instantly apparent. The senorita's eyes flashed, and her face flushed scarlet. With an expression of contempt she turned, left the room, and Mansfield saw her no more.

When the lighting was over, before returning to the United States, Mansfield mounted his horse and rode to the hacienda to offer an apology for what he had done. The same negro woman who had admitted him before opened the door. Mansfield asked her to inform her mistress that he would consider it a boon if she would give him a few moments in which to apologize for what he had done on a previous visit.

Written word was returned that an apology would not be accepted. The lady demanded satisfaction on behalf of one who would act as her champion. Captain Mansfield would receive a communication at a hotel a short distance down the road.

The officer left the house in a quandary. Should he meet some one in mortal combat for a snatched kiss for which he had offered to apologize, or should he end the affair by sailing for home without paying any further attention to it? He would have chosen the latter course had it not been for the contemptuous treatment he had received from the senorita. He could not bring himself to incur the further imputation.

He rode to the hotel named and, taking a seat on the veranda, lit a cigar. Half an hour passed, and he was about to ride back to camp when a negro boy approached, holding in his hand a letter. Seeing Mansfield, he handed it to him. The captain opened it and read:

To the American Officer.—This evening at 6 o'clock I will take satisfaction for the insult offered my sister. Be at the northeast corner of the Sierra hacienda. JOSE SIERRA.

Mansfield was puzzled as to the handwriting. The letters were large and bold, but it looked as if the writer had disguised his hand. The captain could not but smile at a challenge to mortal combat sent by a negro boy, addressed to "the American officer" and signed by a man he had never seen. If Jose Sierra had no friend to bear his challenge why did he not come himself? Evidently the senorita was put to it to secure her revenge. Possibly the brother was not at hand, and the sister had written the challenge in his behalf. Indeed, despite the large letters there was more that was feminine than masculine in the writing.

At 6 o'clock Mansfield returned to the hacienda, located the northeast corner and, climbing the fence, advanced till he came to a grove in the center of which was an open space. There he stood for a few minutes, when he saw a figure advancing. Though the costume was that of a man, the gait was unmistakably that of a woman. Mansfield, pretending to be deceived, said:

"Senor, your resemblance to your sister is remarkable."
"We are twins, sir."
"I presume we are to fight without seconds?"

"Are they necessary?"
"Before we begin I desire to offer through you to your sister the apology she would not receive. I was tempted beyond my strength from beholding the most beautiful, the most engaging woman I have ever seen. After I have killed you I shall renew my suit, restraining myself so that my intentions shall not be mistaken."

Senorita Sierra—for it was she—had a sword in her hand, which at these words she let fall to the ground. Mansfield advanced, took her hand, drew her gently to him and without resistance kissed her on the lips.

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County Commissioners' Meetings—Third Tuesday of April; fourth Tuesday of June; fourth Tuesday of September; last Wednesday of December. By adjournment: On Tuesdays, except during August.
District Court of East Norfolk. Jurisdiction Randolph, Braintree Cohasset, Weymouth, Quincy, Haverhill and Milton. Court held at Quincy for criminal business every week day except legal holidays, and for civil business Tuesdays at 9 a. m. Justice, Albert E. Avery, Braintree. Special Justices, E. Granville Pratt, Quincy; Louis A. Cook, Weymouth. Clerk, Lawrence W. Lyons. Asst. James McDonald. Probation Officer, Francis A. Spear, 25 Thayer Street, Quincy. Court Officer and Bail Commissioner, William Marden, 24 Coddington Street, Quincy.



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WEYMOUTH AND EAST BRAINTREE

—Long Whist club will hold its weekly party in Long's hall, Braintree on Friday evening, Mar. 31. Among the souvenirs will be wicker chairs, couch hammocks, wool blankets, parlor desks, rugs and many other useful and valuable articles.—Adv.

—The employees of the Old Colony Gas Company and guests enjoyed a very interesting general meeting last Tuesday evening, Mar. 21st 1916, in their lecture room. They were entertained by a very instructive talk on "Salesmanship" by W. T. Pease of the Round Water Heater Company of Boston. Following this lecture, D. F. Condrick, supervisor of sales, read the outline of the Company's plans for the observance of Gas and Merchants' Week. The business of the meeting was the election of Ralph Gardner as president for the ensuing year. Other officers will be elected next month. Music and refreshments finished up the evening's entertainment.

—The First Universalist society has elected these officers:—moderator, Walter Edson; clerk, John P. Hunt; treasurer, Franklin P. Whitten; auditor, John P. Hunt; parish committee, Charles A. Clapp; Lyman C. Williams, Walter Edson, Walter E. Thompson, Mrs. Frederick Cate, Mrs. Annie Weston and Mrs. George E. Fogg. Beginning next Sunday candidates for the pastorate will occupy the pulpit.

—George Loring who last fall went to Miami, Florida, in his motor boat, where he has been spending the winter, started for home last week and is expected to arrive here the last of next month.

—Mrs. Henry M. Storms is home from the Homeopathic hospital, Boston, and is much improved in health.

—B. Cohen who has conducted a tailoring business in Washington square for the past ten years has sold the business to Harry Rappaport.

—Cornelius Connell has been re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Braintree Boot & Shoe Workers Union.

—George Walsh has taken over the Walsh shop on Commercial street near the railroad station and will conduct the painting and harness business.

—Mrs. Susie A. Sanborn of Chelsea has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Perry.

—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Remick of Walnut avenue a week ago.

—Mrs. Fannie Raymond, daughter of Mrs. Rebecca Pringle of Franklin street and Elmer Houghton of East Weymouth, were married a few days ago by Rev. Arthur Mercer, pastor of the Universalist church.

—Dr. Francis Able, Jr., veterinarian,

died Sunday evening at the Quincy City hospital, following an operation for gall stones. He was widely known and had a large circle of friends in this town. He was 48 years old.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Esie Marshall Pray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Pray and Harry T. Fisher of Weymouth. Miss Pray has taught school in that town for the past two years.

—At the annual meeting of the Boston Public School Teachers club held at Huntington hall Monday afternoon, Miss Annie Scollard of East Braintree was elected a director for two years.

—Richard DeNeil was seven years old Saturday and he celebrated the event by entertaining a party of his young friends at the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. Richard DeNeil, Broad street. There was music, games and a lunch was served. The little fellow was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

—Rev. William Hyde of Trinity church was the guest Monday night of the parishioners of St. Chrysostom's church, Wollaston. He spoke on "Heroes of the Old Testament."

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyons of 231 Commercial street, East Braintree Monday.

—Miss Elizabeth Hall is spending the week with Mrs. Walter Clark (nee Alice M. Nash) at New London, Conn.

—Mrs. John P. Hunt entertained the members of the afternoon whist club at her home on Front street Wednesday afternoon.

—Earle Townsbury, a steplike jack employed by a connecticut concern, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Florence Townsbury of East Braintree. He leaves next week for South Carolina.

—William F. Hunt, one of the best known citizens, who has been ill for some time, was removed to the Home for Aged, Quincy avenue, last week where he is reported as resting comfortably although there is no improvement in his condition.

—Miss Alma Kyes of North Jay, Me., is spending the week with local relatives.

—The first barge of coal for the year came up to A. J. Richards & Sons' wharf yesterday. It took two tugs to break out the ice which in some places was 18 inches thick.

—Delphi Lodge 15, K. of P., observed the 47th anniversary of the lodge and 52d anniversary of the order with an entertainment, banquet and dance at Pythian hall Wednesday evening. The affair was in charge of a committee consisting of the officers of the lodge with W. S. Our, chairman.

—H. O. Yerkes, of Baltimore, Md., has leased the front street estate of J. W. Luncheon and moved in this week. Mr. Yerkes is the New England representative for one of Baltimore's largest cut glass manufacturing houses.

—Next Sunday evening at seven o'clock in the Baptist church, Lincoln square will be held the second in the series of Community Vesper services. Special soloists for this occasion. The address will be by Rev. Mr. Watson. All seats free. Come.—Adv.

—The first in the series of Community Vesper services were held in the Union Congregational church on Sunday evening and was attended by a large number from the various churches and the community in general.

—The Ross Millinery parlors in Jackson square, East Weymouth, are now open for business with a complete line of the newest things in the trade.—Adv.

—Come to Quincy Conservatory of Music, City square, Quincy, to study piano, violin, cello, cornet, clarinet and all other instruments, with the best teachers. Prof. Nichols, Director.—Adv.

—Chief Ranger Frederick Langevan of Court Monaquon, 150 Foresters of America, has been elected as a delegate to the State Convention of Foresters in Lynn during May. John Liberty was chosen as alternate.

—Several grocers in town announce that they will close their stores Wednesday afternoon beginning April 5.

—A fish inspector of the State Department was in town last week looking over the herring runs at East Weymouth and making notes of the condition of the fish way near Sheppard's coal wharf. It is said that a new fish way will be installed in the latter brook so that the herring may go up into Braintree and Randolph.

—Mr. Patrick J. Reilly died yesterday afternoon at his home on Broad street after an illness of several months. He was 63 years old and is survived by his widow, and two sons, James P. Reilly, a letter carrier attached to the local post-office and Frank Reilly of Hyde Park.

—The Misses Edith and Esther Bicknell of Front street entertained several friends at a dancing party in Pythian hall last Saturday evening. Shaw's orchestra furnished music. Special guests were two of Miss Edith's classmates, Miss Marie Putnam of Hartford Conn. and Miss Mary Lyon of Barre, Vt.

Baptist Church Notes.
Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, Community vesper service. Hazel Clark, violinist, Mrs. Ethel Walcott Ross, soprano. Address by Rev. A. P. Watson.

First Universalist Church
At 10:30 next Sunday morning in the first Universalist church in this place, services will be held in charge of Rev. Melvin S. Nash, a former highly beloved pastor of this church.

Union Church Notes.
Morning worship at 10:30. The pastor will preach on "The North of the Soul." Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock.

Union Vesper Service at the Baptist church at 7 o'clock. Mr. Watson will give the address on "Second-Hand Religion." There will be special music by Miss Hazel Clarke of North Weymouth, violinist and Miss Ethel Walcott Ross of West Newton, soprano.

The Ladies Benevolent Society will meet in the church parlor, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The monthly supper of the Social Club will be Wednesday evening at 6:30. This will be in charge of the men, with Mr. Poore as chairman. The entertainment will be a lecture by Rev. Edward Evans of Hothbrook.

Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, at 7:30. Subject: "Parables of Judgment."

Amen, Said Ezra.
An old lady and gentleman were taking their first trip on the steam cars. She held her breath while crossing a trestle and then, turning to her husband, exclaimed in a high voice: "Thank God, Ezra, we have hit it!"

EAST WEYMOUTH AND WEYMOUTH CENTER

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—The many friends of Miss Mary Looney, clerk at W. M. Tirrell's store, Jackson square, are pleased to see her at her duties again after a week of sickness.

—The Geo. E. Keith Co. factory are nearing the finish of the winter's trade and are reported to be ready to start again on the new run immediately.

—The Alden, Walker & Wilde firm are having a slow down, preparatory to the starting of a new run. Indications pointing to a good business for the spring and summer trade.

—James Conroy, the barber who shop on Broad street, has sold his business to Pasquale Abruzzese, and is at work at the Bradley Works, North Weymouth.

—Mrs. Lawrence Schofield of 1194 Pleasant street is rapidly regaining her health after a two weeks' struggle with pneumonia.

—Miss Lizzie Meuse, head nurse in the accident ward of the Boston City hospital, spent last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Stephen Meuse of 105 Middle street.

—Edwin Delorey, an East Weymouth boy, but recently located at Gardiner, Mass., was home for a few days the first of the week.

—Mrs. Henry C. Corthell has as her guest for a few days her grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Cushing of Brockton.

—William Shaw of Lowell was in town the first of the week, visiting his mother, Mrs. Robert Shaw of Central square.

—Miss Inez Wheaton came over from New York the latter part of last week to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Wheaton of 741 Commercial street, returning to New York on Monday.

—John T. Dizer, M. A. C. 17, is spending his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dizer of 108 Middle street.

—Charles L. Gibson of 63 High street is spending the week with relatives in Brockton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Shaw of 237 Middle street are the parents of a boy born on Sunday last.

—After spending a month with her aunt, Mrs. Marion Shaw of Central square, Miss Dorothy Arrington has returned to her home in Boston.

—Miss Eva Cann is seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Cann, 63 Chad street.

—Mrs. Samuel N. Bates quickly observed her 80th birthday on Wednesday at her home, 586 Broad street.

—Misses Margaret and Florence Ralston are spending their vacation at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ralston of North Adams.

—Parker L. Tirrell spent the week end with his family on High street. Mr. and Mrs. Tirrell have decided on Mt. Vernon, N. Y., as their future residence and will move on to N. Y. about the first of May. Mr. Vernon can claim two of East Weymouth's families now as it will be remembered that Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Raymond are making their home at that place.

—Miss Ruth Gardner is spending her spring vacation at her home on Cedar street.

—The Ladies of the W. L. C. will hold a whist party at Mrs. Jeannet Markarian's at 53 Myrtle street, April 3, 1916.—Adv.

—John A. MacFaun of 23 Cedar street has recently been appointed corresponding member of the State Executive Committee of Y. M. C. A.'s of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

—The regular meeting of the Board of Investment of the East Weymouth Savings Bank was held in the bank building on Monday evening.

—Mrs. Elva Garey entertained the "Friendship Class," at her home on Middle street last Friday evening. After a short business meeting a social hour was spent, refreshments being served by the hostess.

—The Ross Millinery parlors in Jackson square are open for business with a complete line of the newest things in the trade.—Adv.

—Miss Martha Tirrell has taken up her duties again after spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Tirrell of 19 Putnam street.

—W. P. Denbroeder and Frank Cassassa held fire sales on Wednesday and cleaned out all that was saleable. Mr. Cassassa has bought out Blackwell's market and will start in business again at that store on Saturday.

—Mrs. N. D. Canterbury with her two grandchildren, Jack and Sylvia have returned home from Tilton, N. H. Jack has been attending school at Tilton seminary but will attend the Weymouth schools from now on.

—Mrs. Margaret Looney, the Central Square milliner announces her Spring opening will take place next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Looney will show all the new creations in millinery and cordially invites her friends to call and view her offerings.—Adv.

—Mrs. Joseph Ford entertained the ladies' social circle of the M. E. church at her home on Raymond street, Wednesday of this week.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes
The annual conference of Methodist churches is being held at Norwich, Conn., this week. Therefore their will be no services in the church on Sunday. The regular church work will be taken up again with the prayer meeting on next Tuesday evening.

Congregational Church Notes.
The Methodist church being closed on Sunday we cordially invite all so desiring to worship with us in all the services of the day.

The Christian Endeavor meeting at six o'clock on Sunday will be the monthly consecration meeting. The topic is "The Consecration of Time." We have won the Clark Union banner, now is the time for every member to do his or her part that we may be worthy to keep it. Consecration Sunday night is our first step. Be there.

Junior C. E. at 4 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, leader, Clifton Clapp. Subject, "For Christ and the Church."

Ostriches Once of Immense Size.
That ostriches once grew 15 feet in height is shown by remains found in the island of Madagascar.

East Weymouth Cemetery Society.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the East Weymouth Cemetery Society Inc., held at the Savings Bank building, Thursday evening, the 24th, the following officers were elected:—M. E. Hawes, president; John A. Raymond, clerk and treasurer; Charles Harrington, W. P. Denbroeder, B. B. Sylvester, W. C. Earle, C. Will Bailey, Mrs. Wallace Whitton, Mrs. W. E. Ames and Mrs. Harry Morton, directors; C. Harrington, W. C. Earle and W. P. Denbroeder, auditors; Mrs. Charles Harrington and W. P. Denbroeder, committee on flowers.

At a meeting of the Directors which followed the meeting of the society, W. P. Denbroeder was appointed superintendent for the ensuing year.

Propinquity Breeds Discontent.

A wise philosopher has said that no two persons, unless they are a man and woman violently in love, can live intimately together for ten years without hating each other. The unconscious defect of one's character, his little whims and crochets, his pet theories or his darling hobbies, are sometimes the instrument of slow torture by which a man murders his wife.

Letter to Mother.

An East side woman remained in a polling booth so long someone went in to see what was the matter, says the Independence Reporter. She was writing a letter and explained: "It is so nice and quiet in here with no one to bother me that I'm writing a letter to mother. She thinks it is terrible for women to vote, but I just told her it is much quieter here than it is at home with the children, who climb all over me when I attempt to write."—Kansas City Star.

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JOHN A. MACFAUN,
Clerk of Corporation.
East Weymouth, March 31, 1916.

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the East Weymouth Savings Bank will be held at the rooms of the bank on Wednesday Evening, April 12, 1916 immediately after the Corporation meeting.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Charles A. Loud of said Weymouth, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty sixth day of April A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1916.

J. R. MCCOOLE, Register.
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 30, 1916.
The Committee on Municipal Finance will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 1923, that Weymouth may purchase land for school house, at Route No. 42, State House, Wednesday, April 26, at eleven o'clock a. m. John E. Beck, Chairman, Nesbit G. Gleason, Clerk of the Committee.
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